New threat to post as Frunwick ban ICANTE 553 spreads

threat grew last night that other postmen hd follow the lead of men at Cricklewood. London, in blacking mail from the 01-490 9 wick laboratories. The Cricklewood men refusing to handle the company's mail. then blacked Grunwick mail. Other London men are to decide their tactics today.

abinet rejects plea to end mail monopoly

for work to clear the backlos

we are not prepared to betray fellow trade unionists who have

been on strike for a year by

The Cricklewood men are entitled to a productivity bonus of £25 each, due to be paid within two weeks. The Post Office said: "In

the case of the suspended workers it will not be paid until they return to normal working."

Postal monopoly: The Post Office has asked the Govern-ment to consider revoking the

corporation's monopoly over mail delivery because of the serious losses and difficulties

to businesses brought about by

the Cricklewood strike (Hugh

State for Industry, announcing that in the Commons yester-

day, told MPs that his opinion that such action at this stage would only make matters worse had been accepted by the

The decision, Mr Varley said,

although he was aware of the difficulties being caused in the

NW2 district to those using postal services. He told Sir Keith Joseph, opposition spokesman on industry, that the people affected by the strike were not entitled to compensation. He remained to look issue.

tion. He promised to look into

Messages "intercepted": Mr

Paddington, protested vester-day that Home Office officials

day that Home Office officials intercepted messages he sent to. Mr Rees, the Home Secretary, during the weekend about events at the Cricklewood sorting office and prevented them from reaching him (the Press Association reports).

His complaint is to be investi-gated. He said he telephoned to

the Home Office about Grun

wick's collection of mail from Cricklewood but the message

was not passed to Mr Rees as

hur Latham, Labour MP foi

Cabiner.

But Mr Varley, Secretary of

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on by postal workers at awood, north-west Lou-n "blacking" mail from runwick film-processing ing last night after susd postmen who had
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oy the Loadon district il of the men's union, the of Post Office Workers, neet to discuss the Post 's refusal to allow the

John Taylor, London ct organizer, said: "We d our London members as locked out. We shall to see what the council s about that."

hough the Post Office was yesterday that the men remain suspended until agreed to handle Grunwick postmen at the London rn district sorting office, covers the West End, hey too were "blacking" rick mail, some of which

the south-western district lictoria, covering West-er, Whitehell and Buckingalace, workers said they meet to decide whether one any Grunwick mail. are were hopes yesterday weeks might open to return to work of the suspended workers. Their nsion has disrupted postal though the men refused to the agreed later to clear the

gog of mail at the sorting when the local branch Tals refused to give an taking that they would be Grunwick mail the man-ent barred them from the

Alog.

David Dodd, Cricklewood

Inquiry into allegations by runaway editor

By Clive Borrell
Crime Correspondent
Allegations that Mr Maurice
Jones, editor of the Yorkshire
Miner, was threatened by police Mincr, was threatened by police officers after his arrest on the Grunwick picket line a month ago and assaulted by others at London airport on his return from East Germany on Sundayare to be investigated by Supt Raymond Tilly, of the Thames Valley force.

Raymond Tilly, of the Thames Valley force.

Mr Tilly, who normally is in charge of the subdivision of Woodley, near Reading, will begin his inquiries today, at the invitation of Mr David McNee, Commissioner of the Metropoliting Police.

McNee, Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police.

Mr Tilly will also look into an allegation by Mr Jones that he was interviewed by plainclothes officers on the day of his arrest in lune who threatened the life of his daughter, Tanva, aged two, and the expulsion of his wife, Leena, who is Finnish born, from Britain.

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Mr Jones, aged 33, appeared before Willesden magistrates in north London yesterday and was bailed in his own recognizance of £1,000 and a surety of £1,000 to appear before Barana and magistrates on Sentember net magistrates on September 27 to answer charges of insult-ing behaviour and failure to

surrender to bail.

During a hearing that lasted 20 minutes he was also ordered to surrender his passport and to notify the police of any change of address.

Mr Jones stood in the dock

and spoke only once to his soli-citor, Mr Michael Seifert. Mr John Ashburn, for the police, told the court that there were no objections to bail on the condition that there were

substantial sureties and that he surrendered his passport.
A suggestion by Mrs Eliza beth Davis, chairman of the magistrates, that Mr Jones, of Hollins End Avenue, Sheffield, should report daily to the police during his bail was resisted by Mr Ashburn.

The suggestion came after Mr Seifert had said that all Mr Jones wanted to do now was to "get away from it all, take a holiday where he would not be disturbed". Mrs Davis asked: "And where will that be?"

where will that be?"

Mr Seifert said at first that it was not known where Mr Jones and his wife and daughter would go, but after consulting him, said his client would be spending his time "somewhere in Britain".

Mr Richard Kelley, Labour MP for Don Valley, stood surety for Mr Jones, one of his constituents.

stituents.
After the bearing Mr Soifert read a statement by Mr Jones included in the party's saying the behaviour of the general election manifesto. police at Wembley police station after his arrest had been

Our Parliamentary Staff writes: Rees, Home Secretary, said in a Commons written reply lust night: " Now that Mr Jones has returned to this country any complaints he has about his treatment on June 23 or on his return on July 24 can be fully investigated in accordance with the comblaints procedures sult of such an investigation to he sent to the Police Complaints Board for independent consider-Parliamentary report, page 6 1 ation."



"think tank" team who carried out the review of Britain's overseas representation (left to right): Mr Marrack Goulding, Mr David Young, Mr John Odling-Smee, Sir Kenneth Berrill, Miss Kate Mortimer, Mr Tony Hurrell and Dr Tessa Blackstone (report, page 5).

over unemployment, and it is understood that some of the figures included in the docu-

Mr Healey, Chancellor of the

ment have been removed.

IMF loan last November.

The revised document

that they will not give it their blessing unless the NEC approves a "campaign" docu-ment, which contains criticisms

economic strategy, to be pre-

sented to the party conference

yesterday's meeting over industrial strategy and the fact that there was a lack of investment. Mr Varley, Secretary of State for Industry, agreed that the voluntary planning agreements with individual firms had so

far been unsuccessful and that more should be done to encourage their implemen-tation. But it appears that he

stopped short of suggesting

legislative action to bring

Tegucigalpa, Honduras, July

25.—Twenty-two people were kiled and 12 injured when a Honduras Air Force transport surcraft crashed on takeoff from the airport at Yoro, 100 miles morth of here, the Air Force

about statutory enforcement.

Honduras air

crash kills 22

Concern was expressed at

in October.

Ministers and union chiefs agree terms the TUC, expressed concern

By Our Political Reporter

Ministers and trade union leaders yesterdow agreed the terms of a revised social contract, entitled "The Next Three Years", which will have to be ratified by the TUC general council and the Labour Party National Executive Committee later this week. Committee later this week.

Mr Camaghan told trade

ution representatives on the impartite TUC/Parliamentary Labour Party national executive committee, that the Government would introduce in the next session of Parliain the next session of Parlia-ment a Green Paper on a wealth tax, which would in-clude model clauses, but that there was no possibility of legislation in the present Par-liament. However, the commit-ment to a wealth inx would be included in the party's next several election manifesto.

While that was apparently accepted by the meeting, it constitutes a watering-down of the draft document before the liaison committee, which been drawn up by the TUC and the Labour Parry. It was stated in the draft

that it was the intention "that legislative proposals for a wealth tax will be brought forward in the next parliamentary session with a view to enact-ment during the lifetime of this Parliament".

During the meeting the trade unionists, led by Mr Len Murray, general secretary of

Rhodesian mission plan foiled three times

By Hugh Noyes

Exchequer, is reported to have said during the meeting that the Government would have pursued its present economic strategy even if it had not had the constraints imposed by the likely to run into trouble when the national executive committhe Rhodesian Prime Minister, tee of the Labour Party meets tomorrow because the left wing think it is not positive enough in its socialist objectook certain actions which ruised doubts about the wisdom of such a move.

Making a statement to the House on his talks with Mr Vance, the American Secretary of State, Dr Owen said that the Government was on the point of sending a mission just before the Rhodesian raid 80 miles into Mozambique. another occasion there was the question of putting into detention people who would be involved in any process of elec-

The most recent instance

when a mission was about to be established was just before the aunouncement of the general election in Rhodesia. Careful thought had been given to the idea of a mission which could have been helpful at a time when the British Government might have presented proposals for the Rhodesian people to consider. But Dr Owen added that when Mr Smith called an election would not be the most appropriate moment for a mission.

Without that, he said, it would be impossible to move towards a fair election on the basis of universal suffrage. Dr Owen welcomed Conserva-The Air Force DC3 was currying 33 passengers to Tegucigalpa the Honduras capital. First reports had indicated

suffrage. But he went on to express his disillusion with the Rhodesian leader when he told the House that if it had been in his power, he would have removed Mr Smith on the day he became Foreign Secretary.

peace in his country. But he was the de facto person with whom he had to deal and nego

Parliamentary report, page 6 Guerrillas told to unite, page 8

Parliamentary Correspondent Westminster

Dr Owen, the Foreign Secretary, disclosed in the Commons yesterday that on at least three occasions in recent months the Government had been on the verge of establishing a per-manent mission in Salisbury. On each occasion Mr Smith,

From the Conservative front bench Mr John Davies pressed the idea of a permanent mis-

tive support for the concept of fair elections based on universal

He did not believe that Mr Smith had a contribution to make to black majority rule and

teiare.

£100m NEB loan for development of Leyland's new Mini By Peter Hill ment subscribed £30m of

improvement in industrial rela-tions, although much remained to be achieved.

Mr Varley stressed that pro-vision of the £100m was subject to the NEB being satisfied that progress on industrial relations was maintained. It now appears that the Government intends to place the funding of Leyland squarely on the shoulders of the NEB.

that he believed that there was a case for providing funds through the NEB and this view was endorsed last summer by the Industrial Development Advisory Board. The Govern-ment had not yet taken a final view, however, but the arrange-ments would enable the board to satisfy itself on the improve-ment in industrial relations within the company, at each stage at which the company sought to draw on the new

The NEB had previously made available £246m to Ley-

Industrial Correspondent

British Leyland is to receive E100m loan from the National interprise Board. The bulk of this new loan will be used for the development of the company's new Mini.

In the Leyland Cars sector disputes have cost the company more than nine million manhours so far this year.

The loan was announced by Mr Varley, Secretary of State Mr Varley, Secretary of State for Industry, yesterday after a detailed report by the NEB which had recommended the approval of the funds in the light of the motor group's progress in the past few months since the toolmakers' strike which severely hir production in February and March this year. Mr Varley told the Commons

that production had been maintained at high levels in the three months to the end of June and the NEB considered that solid progress had been made in achieving the radical incorporation in industrial rela-

Mr Varley has already said

£100m loan. Work has already started on the construction of the new Mini production site and a large slice of the £100m will be deployed to support the construc-tion and tooling programme for the project.

In its report the NEB studied the performance of Leyland's four chief business groups. Dealing with Leyland Cars—which was at the centre of the toolmakers' strike—the NEB said that in the first six months of this year there had been 304 disputes which had led to the loss of 9,086,000 manhours and a vehicle production loss of 117,394. But the report noted that in the April-June period man hour losses at Leyland Cars had been as low as in any comparable period since in any comparable period since the beginning of last year. The report said: "The per-formance in these three months

shows that Leyland Cars is capable of sustaining periods of relative industrial peace, and this fact provides some measure of encouragement, although in the view of the NEB it has yet to be proved that a permanent significant improvement has occurred.".

On production, the NEB said that if the improvement so far this year, with the exception of the months when the company was hit by the toolmakers' strike, could be maintained "Leyland Cars can reach productivity levels comparable with major European competitors in the 1980s."

The board expressed some

anxiety, however, over the reduced share of the home market held by Leyland.

The NEB drew reasonable encouragement from the re-

cent performance of the truck and bus division, the inter-national business operations and also that of the special products division and con-cluded that the company had met the criteria established for continued support to the cars

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£49,500 Ryder gift 'never authorized'

By Malcolm Brown

The "post-retirement gratuity" of £49,500 paid to Lord Ryder when he left the chairmanship of Reed International to become the Government's chief industrial adviser was entered in the books of the group's Toronto-based subsidiary, Reed Ltd, as a political contribution.

This was disclosed by the group last night after an investigation into the arrange-ments which led to the payment being made by a company independent of Reed, Canadian Forest Products of Vancouver. CFP made the payment to Lord Ryder in 1975 and was reimbursed in the following year by Reed Ltd. Lord Ryder repaid the money

last month as soon as he learned the circumstances surrounding the payment.
In a detailed statement last

night Reed International full responsibility for the on Mr Robert Billingsley, former president and chief execu-tive of Reed Ltd, and made it clear that he had no authority

to arrange it. It was in re-imbursing CFP that the "political contribution" entry was made in the books of Reed Ltd.

According to Reed International, a committee of directors, including Mr Billings-ley and Mr Alex Jarratt, the present chairman, was set up arrangements which should be made for Lord Ryder's departure from the group.

In November 1974 the committee agreed on recom-

mendations to be made to the full board on a pension and retirement gratuity. Dur-in that meeting Mr Billinsley said that Canadian Forest Pro-ducts would probably also wish to make a payment. Lord Ryder had been a director of CFP for several years.

"It was clearly understood that if CFP wished to make such a payment, that was their decision and had nothing to do with Reed International or the recommendations made by the committee ", the statement said. Continued on page 17, col 1

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nment powers and interon has not been matched joint committees of Houses, but all would pare problems and

Mr Barnett makes clear Treasury is not converted to index-linked allowances

By Our Parliamentary

Mr Barnett, Chief Secretary to the Treasury, made clear in the Commons yesterday, within the limits of tact and caution, that whatever view cermin MPs may hold on indexation and the automatic increase of personal tax allowances to keep pace with inflation the Chancellor would be having nothing to do with that in the next Budget unless it happened to suit other economic consider-

Mr Barnett, of course, did not put it quite so bluntly when he opened the debate on the last day of the report stage of the Finance Bill, advising the House to accept the indexation amendments to the Bill forced on an unwilling Government at

JET will

Britain confident

Britain seems confident that EEC opinion is swinging behind the choice of the Atomic Energy Authority's

laboratory at Culham, near Oxford, as the site for the thermonuclear fusion

be at Culham

the committee stage by a revok of two Tribune Group MPs, Mrs Audrey Wise and Mr Jeffrey Rooker.

There were not many MPs in

the Commons taken in by the apparent welcome the Chief Secretary gave to the amend-ments and it was soon clear that Mr Barnett was merely bowing to unmanageable odds. As the House looked on sympathetically he explained that raising tax thresholds was an important objective for the Government but it could not be the only objective in tax policy. Mr Barnett said the case for

automatic indexation was greatly overstated. The impres-

have to go. Mr Barnett hoped the House would accept that neither full nor partial indexation could provide automatic protection of giving standards.

From the Conservative front bench Sir Geoffrey Howe, QC, spokesman on Treasury affairs, said the Bill as amended was acceptable, because it embodied the minimum changes necessary to prevent the thief of inflation from operating in that part of the tax system.

Later a Liberal amendment

having the effect of requiring an automatic increase in personal tax reliefs by the same percentage as the increase in the retail price index was de-feated by 268 votes to 24. sion was given that somehow indexation would maintain real net take-home pay, but if that was introduced into the tax Parliamentary report, page 6

Mr Edward Rowlands, Minis-er of State at the Foreign

Reuter.

Office, is due to arrive in Guatemala today from London to continue talks aimed at reducing tension over Guate-mala's claim to the colony of Belize.

Talks on Belize

£17.5m for college

Mr David Robinson, former television rental magnate, who founded Robinson College, Cambridge, with £10m four years ago, has given the college another

Industry criticized Industry's bad image and the academic

bias of much of the educational system share some of the blame for the relatively poor quality of British management compared with overseas competitors, the Department of Industry says . Rival finger: Chicken fingers, looking like fish fingers and at the same price.

Five bombs exploded Madrid damaging several shops but causing no injuries South Africa: "Moderate" African leaders put forward a new plan for self-government in Soweto

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Britain and France to divide oil rights at Cambridge Britain and France are to start oil exploration in the Western Approaches where there are thought to be large

reserves. They had been in dispute over rights to the 40,000 square miles involved, but an international arbitrarion court has divided the area Page 17

50 pc farm claim

The farmworkers' union is to submit a pay claim that would increase wages by nearly half. It would date from January 1 next and increase pay from the present weekly basic minimum of £39 to £60. Page 5

Peacemaker Arafat Thanks to a ceasefire agreement negotiated by Mr Yassir Arafat, leader of the Palestine Liberation Organization, Egypt's border war with Libya appears to be over Page 7

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project, the Joint European Torus (JET). The EEC foreign ministers meet party's evidence also in Brussels today s that the increase in Price inquiry hint A government inquiry may be made increased parliamentary into prices charged at motorway service rs for advance warming, my and control. Therefore stations. MPs were told. Mr Hottersley, Secretary of State for Prices and Conmanent select committee sumer Protection, also announced an inquity into the price of frozen chips Parliament, page 6 d be established for each government. Some

Carter aide under fire ine government proposals, A Senate committee has cleared Mf their reports would auto-Bert Lance, President Carter's Secretance, rresident Carter's Secretary at the Office of Management and the Budget, of holding interests that conflict with his public duties. He had been unjustly "smeared", the chairman said Report of hearing, Page 7

Police say 76 'IRA officers' charged this year with terrorism

Seventy-six Provisional IRA have been charged with terrorist offences this year, Mr Kenneth Newman, Chief Con-stable of the Royal Ulster Constabulary, told a security review meeting yesterday attended by Mr Mason, Secre-tary of State for Northern Ireland.

The arrested "officers", most f whom are leaders of small IRA cells, are thought to repre-cent a substantial proportion of the Provisional IRA hierarchy. The RUC believes the fall in the number of explosions in Uster this year—209 during the first six months, compared with 663 for the whole of last year—is related to the arrests. It further suggests that the flow of recruits, money and arms to Provisional IRA has the Provis diminished.

Security is to be tightened at the Royal Victoria Hospital Belfast, in an attempt to curb the growing incidence of development programme for the hospital announced yesterday is seen as a vote of confidence in its future.

Sir Thomas Brown, chairman the Eastern Health and Social Services Board, said boundary walls of the hospital boundary walls of the hospital complex would be reinforced and, where necessary, fitted with floodlights and barbed wire. A highly paid chief security officer is to be appointed soon, and hospital visitors may be searched.

Sir Thomas added that the development plan would in

development plan would in-clude the building of a 200-bed ward block and a geriatric unit, and an elaborate communica-tion network.

A man aged 41 was seriously ill in hospital last night after being short at his home in Bawn-

more Park, north Belfast. Armed raid: Thousands of pounds intended for pension pay-outs was stolen yesterday when a Post Office van was held up in Londonderry by an armed man (our Londonderry Correspondent writes).

Joint church initiative on Northern Ireland urged

Ey Clifford Longley Religious Affairs Correspondent

An international Anglican-Roman Catholic initiative on Northern Ireland was proposed yesterday by the Bishop of Truro, Dr Leonard, who is chairman of the Church of Englishman of the Church of the C land's Board for Social Responsibility.

He proposed that fundamental questions of the relationship between church and society should be considered by the Anglican-Roman Catholic International Theological Commission (Arcic), set up 10 years ago by the Archbishop of Can-terbury (then Dr Ramsey) and

the Pope.
The extent to which state laws should reflect citizens' religious and moral convictions was a crucial issue, he told a press conference to mark publi-

cation of a report on Northern Ireland issued by the board.
"I would hope that one result of the discussion of this paper might be the setting of a mandate for Arcic for its future discussions", he said. "One very strong element in the religious situation in Northern Ireland is the question of church and society."

The report by Mr Giles Ecclestone, secretary of the board, and Canon Eric Elliott, secretary of the Role of the

Church Committee of the Church of Ireland, identifies religion as a key factor and rejects the argument that the terms "Catholic" and "Protestant" for the two sides are merely conventional.

"A significant number of concerned people believe that the first essential step in any objective examination of the churches' role in Ireland is to admit openly that there is a religious' church, ecclesiasti-cal, denominational or sectarian factor in the suspicion, division, tension, and bitterness in Irish society, and that the churches themselves are part of the hitherto irreconcilable division between the two communities" the report states.

To dismiss the religious factor as "religious overtones" to the conflict "is seriously to underestimate its significance and influence".

Dr Leonard said the churches in Ireland had to discover how to foster a pluralistic society. The report lends its weight to the pressure on the Government for a political initiative in Northern Ireland.

It will be discussed by the General Synod of the Church of England in November. The Irish Problem and Ourselves (Church Information Office, Church House, Westminster, 45p).

'No sense' in more local government changes

By Our Local Government Correspondent

Any attempts at further re-organization of local govern-ment will be strongly resisted by the Association of County Councils, Mr Carleton Hether-ington, the association's secre-tary, said yesterday.

Referring to the possibility of changes to give back to of changes to give back to some districts powers they had before reorganization, and ciertify functions held jointly by the two tiers of authority, he said: "The idea of frag-menting services that have just been linked together makes no bean linked together makes no sense to counties at all. It would undoubtedly be expen-sive and complicated."

Local government wanted a period of stability to fight in-flation, and not to have to use its brain power on the work needed for another reorganiza-

He found it difficult to believe that people would be prepared to go through another radical reorganization so soon after the previous one. "We would say the present would say the present system is working reasonably well", he said. "Despite the economic crisis, services did not break down, and they are getting better."

The wrangling over the Government's rate support grant is a further reason for avoiding another structural change. The different parts of local govern-ment find it difficult to accept the present arrangements for distributing the grant, but confusion could only be worse confounded with change within the reorganization.

Mr Shore, Secretary of State for the Environment, does not believe that uniformity is needed for a successful local government system and is seriously thinking of making what he calls "organic" changes in it. There is strong opposition, especially among the non-metropolitan counties, to any such move.



Ship searched: An army dog trained to detect explosives searching the cargo of the Crail, which has been anchored in the Thames for a year, as unloading began yesterday. The nature of the cargo has been the subject of speculation since the 427-ton steamer was forced into Gravesend with engine trouble and Mr Jonathan Brookes, her British captain and owner, voiced misgivings over the Saudi Arabian-owned cargo. Customs and police officers have suspected that the vessel carried arms or explosives. Nothing suspicious had been found last night when unloading finished for the day.

Conflict in police evidence ends trial

of mistreating her daughter, aged two, ended at Dunfermline Sheriff Court, Fife, yesterday when the prosecution said it could not proceed because the police evidence was not

credible.
The Sheriff instructed the jury to return a verdict of not guilty against the mother and two men accused with her. The child's father, Mr Colin Brown, who had given evidence The police do not suspect a

Mrs Hellaine Brown, aged 21, of Centre Street, Kelty, Fife, had denied that she cruelly ill treated her daughter, Linda, in a manner injurious to her health. Alexander Adams, aged aged 19, and Steven McBenner, aged 17, of the same address,

flicting evidence by Police Sergeant William Harrower and Police Constable James Gordon. In cross-examination Sergeant Harrower admitted that he had not noted Mr McBennett's statement at the time it was made but had copied it later from PC Gordon's notebook, PC Gordon said in evidence that Sergeant Harrower had noted Mr McBennett's statement at the same time he did.

The trial of a mother accused in the trial, was found dead on close yesterday because of con-

Man in the News: TV and turf aid education

£7.5m more for his £10m college

The announcement of a fur-ther gift of £7.5m to the new Cambridge Coller that bears his name firmly establishes David Robinson as one of the great educational benefactors of all time, alongside such figures. as Isaac Wolfson, Henry Ford, and William Morris, later Lord

The former racehorse owner, aged 72, lives the life of a re-cluse at Newmarket. Four years ago he gave £10m to found the college. Work is well advanced on the building of Robinson College, which will be the first fully coeducational college in the university. Postgraduates will be admirted this October and the first undergraduates are expected to come up in 1979. Mr Robinson's new gift,

Mr Robinson's new gift, announced yesterday, will ensure that the college has ample endowment. Professor Jack Lewis, warden of the new college, said: "The remarkable extra gift will allow us to move into the very forefrom of the college system. It is one of the last, if not the last, of the great benefactions."

With it comes a further film for the award of scholarships, studentships and fellowships. There is in fact a remark-



Mr David Robinson

careers of David Robinson and the other great British educa-tional benefactor William moral benefactor. William Morris. Both grew up in the university cities where most of their subsequent endowments were made, Robinson in Cambridge and Morris in Oxford. Both left school at 15 to work in bicycle shops and then established garages.

however, to have restored a certain amount of affection for

The lord meyor's parade, which is being organized by the Junior Chamber of Commerce,

grouped into their trade societies. The Fline Glass

United Society and the Indepen-dent Order of Good Templars for Missioning and Reclaiming

Drunkards earned special men-tion in the contemporary

Mr William Axon, who wrote a book-length report of the pro-ceedings, which is being re-printed for the centenary, added

that the chimney sweepers were

not numerous but carried a

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of which was a full-length

portrayed of "the great libera-

tor and the words "Ireland remembers O'Connell".

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But while Morris went on to

turing motor cars, Mr Reson became a millionaire son became a millionaire f television rentals. He sold business for £10m and dev trimself to racing, become himself to racing, become one of the biggest private relations owneds in the country. At one time Mr Robin owned Kempton Park recourse and employed to full-time trainers to look this 150 horses. In 1970 he Kempton Park, which he bought for £756,000, to Horserace Betting the Board and in 1974 he begat withdraw from the rate. withdraw from the raworld and self off his ho

David Robinson is # retiring figure. He is H known to devotees of the than in the groves of acad but even within the close ing fraternity he has rema a shadowy figure.

He dislikes intensely contact with the press end rarely, leaves his Newms home. He does however, rwe considerable enjoys from visiting the site of college, which is rapidly g ing up as a perma memorial to him. He rainly deserves no

Pomp and gaiety will mark | In brief town hall's centenary to have been constructed from black brick, and the revival of interest in Victorians seem,

From John Chartres Manchester

The centenary of one of the nation's more remarkable examples of Victorian Gothic architecture, Manchester Town Hall, is to be celebrated in September with the city's first is expected to attract about a hundred floats, bands and marching groups, But it may not approach the grandeur of one of the original opening ceremonies. That included a procession of 40,000 men lord mayor's show, Beating Retreat by the Grenadier Guards and a score of other events designed to bring some gaiety to an otherwise serious-minded city.

Centenary day falls on September 13 and celebrations will go on for nearly a fort-night. They culminate in a grand ball in the building which Alfred Waterhouse designed for a competition, in which he in fact took only fourth place for "excellence of elevation" bur won handsomely on the more practical considerations of light, ventilation and access.

Until fairly recent years Mancunians tended to look on the building as a rather hid-eous reminder of the city's past, and plans were once made to knock it down. The dramatic effect of the cleaning of the sandstone facing in 1969, before which it was popularly thought

Man fails to answer bail

John Fricker, aged 50 Woolstaplers' Way, Lon one of three men charged raids on country throughout Britain in antiques and silverware stolen, failed to suswer to Towcester Magistr Court, Northamptonshire, terday. A warrant was is for his arrest.

The other defendants, D Tobin, aged 48, of Dew Street, Southwark, London, Vincent Mason, aged 40, of Street, Salford, were reman on bail for six weeks.

Retired MP dies

Colonel Claude Lanca Conservative MP for F 1938-1950 and for South 1950-1970, died in hospital Kettering yesterday. Cok Lancaster, who was chairman the Bestwood Company, been ill some nime.

Jubilee walk

To help Wiltshire's juble appeal, Lord Margadale, lord lieutenant, has invited county's "top people", incling former government a sters, to take part in sponsored 3-mile walk roun lake on October 23.

Council plan deplore Mr Hattersley, Secretary State for Prices and Consu Protection, has said he deple West Midlands County Co cil's refusal to reconsi abolishing its consumer ad-centre at Walsall.

Fire at school

Firemen were called to blaze which damaged rooms Wellington College, Cr thorne, Berkshire, yesterda

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Exmoor farmers reject proposed controls

Exmoor farmers yesterday rejected Countryside Commission proposels for statutory controls on use of land within the moorland area of the national park.

In a submission to be made today to Lord Porchester, who is undertaking an independent study into land use on the moor, the joint Devon and Somerset National Farmers' Union working party dismisses the plans as "unjustified, the plans as "unjustifing impractical and costly". Lord Porchester was ap-

Seamen's leader

smuggled goods

Fines and suspended prison sentences were imposed at Feliastowe Magistrates Court,

Suffolk, yesterday on Gordon Norris, who is on the national executive of the National Union

Mr Norris, aged 49, an engine

room donkeyman greaser, pleaded guilty to three charges of possessing smuggled cigarettes, tobacco and sprits

and two of steading stores from the Europic Ferry. He was sentenced on each of the three customs charges to six months

imprisonment, suspended for two years, and fined a total of £892.

All came to light, it was stated, when Mr Norvis, of Beautorr Gardens, Knights-

bridge, London, drove up to an Ipswich petrol station and asked a pump attendant to look after a parcel. It contained cigarettes

and tobacco, and when he returned for it a week later he was met by a customs "reception committee".

Mr John Hostettler, for the defence, said Mr Norris had recently been involved in diffi-

cult union cases. That contri-buted to depression and he had been off sick.

The Association of First Division Civil Servants was wel-

The decision to seek TUC

intention of remaining apoli-tical. For that reason they have not formulated an attitude on

TUC welcome

civil servants By Our Labour Staff

for top

admits having

of Seamen.

ploughing rough Farmers say the commission's proposals are likely to have the opposite of the desired effect.

farmers

The commission is accused of "trying to use a sledgehammer to crack a nut" and of suggesting legislation that could have serious implications for all the

the park after complaints alleging that the park committee had failed to stop

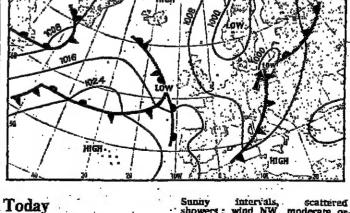
national parks. It shows complete misunderstanding.

Mr Callaghan meets pay Mr Callaghan had a 40-

minute meeting yesterday with the chairmen of the three review bodies covering top salaries, doctors and dentists, and the Armed Services to explain Government policy on incomes. Those present at the meeting

were Lord Boyle of Hands-worth, chairman of the Top Salaries Review Body, Sir Ernest Woodroofe, chairman of the Review Body on Doctors' and Dentists' Remuneration, and Sir. Harold Atcherley, of the Armed Forces.

Weather forecast and recordings



Sunny intervals, scattered showers; wind NW, moderate orfresh; max temp 13° or 16°C (59° to 61°F).

NE England, Borders, Edinburgh and Dundee, Aberdeen, Central Highlands: Showers, heavy in places, and bright intervals; wind NW, fresh; max temp 15°C (59°F).

Moray Firth, NE, NW (21.2ft); 10.45 pm, 6.4m Avonmouth, 3.1 am, A.2ft); 3.47 pm, 10.5m Dover, 7.35 am, 5.7m (8.7 pm, 8.9m (19.5ft).

21 am, 6.1m (20.1ft); 6.3m (20.7ft). Liverpool, 8.0m (26.3ft); 8.21 pm, S.0m (26.3ft); 8.21 pm, Sem (26.3ft); 8.2 Full moon: July 30. Lighting up: 9.28 pm to 4.47 am. Aighing up: 9.26 pm to 4.47 am.

High water: London Bridge, 10.12
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(21.1ft). Avonmonth, 3.1 am,
10.4ta (34.2ft); 3.47 pm, 10.5m
(34.6ft). Dover, 7.35 am, 5.7m
(18.8ft); 8.7 pm, 5.9m (19.5ft).

Hull, 2.21 am, 6.1m (20.1ft);
2.52 pm, 6.3m (20.7ft). Liverpool,
7.35 am, 8.0m (26.3ft); 8.21 pm,
8.2m (26.8ft).

A showery N to NW airstream covers the British Isles. Forecasts for 6 am to midnight :

Forecasts for 6 am to midnight:
London, SE, Central S, central N, E England, East Anglia, Midlands, Channel Islands: Showers, possibly heavy, sunny intervals; wind NW, moderate or fresh; max temp 18°C (64°F).

SW England, S Wales: Sunny intervals, scattered showers, possibly becoming thought wind NW, moderate or

max temp 18°C (64°F).

SW England, S Wales:
Sunny intervals, scattered om, 18°C (64°F); min, 7 pm to 5 showers, possibly becoming 7 am, 12°C (54°F). Humidity, 7 cloudy: wind NW, moderate or fresh; max temp 17°C (63°F).

N Wales, NW England, Lake
District, Isle of Man, SW Scotland, Glasgow, Argyll, N Ireland: 1,000 millibars = 29.53!n. comed into the TUC at a meeting of the TUC finance and general purpose committee yesterday. membership was taken in a recent ballor resulting in a 57 per cent majority in favour on an 80 per cent vote. Leaders of the association, whose 8,000 members are senior government officials up to permanent secretaries, have made clear their intention of remaining apoli-

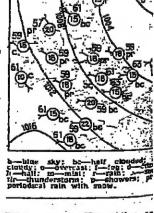
rather cool.

Sea Possages: S North Seq.
Strait of Dover: Wind NW,
moderate or fresh; sea moderate.
English Channel (E), St
George's Channel, Irish Sea:
Wind NW, fresh, occasionally
strong; sea moderate or rough.

Yesterday

WEATHER REPORTS YESTERDAY MIDDAY : c; cloud ; d, drizzle ;

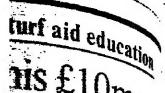
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How to give an executive a £2,000 rise without the Inland Revenue noticing.

If you're a managing director, the problems of rewarding your overtaxed executives are only too familiar.

Yet there's one solution you may not have considered, which arises from the Inland Revenue's new company car tax rules.

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For in the eyes of the Inland Revenue, the Audi 100 is in the same tax class as the Ford Cortina, and his tax rate for his company car remains at £350.

And if you order the car during August or September your Audi dealer will give you a loan at a much lower interest rate than even your bank.

It's only fair to point out that the Inland Revenue don't insist that you choose an Audi. Any 2 litre car will satisfy them. Though it may not be so satisfactory to your executives.

After all, many people who previously drove Jaguars, Daimlers, BMWs, Mercedes, and even the occasional Rolls Royce, are now happily driving our car.

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the equivalent of three grade Cs at A level, compared with only a third in science, and a quarter in medicine, social, administrative and business

studies.

The report cites the case of

a company that needed about thirty graduate engineers and found only seven of the required quality after interviewing 117.

The document says the struc-

the Government within the next

little has been done for the sifted child in Britain, Research

indicates that gifted children

are not always recognized and that when they are, many are under-achieving. That, of course, often produces bored children, with all the attendant.

There are several reasons for

those findings, she suggests. An able child will quickly assess

the effort and output necessary

to placate authority. Consciously or subconsciously, a child might

suppress a talent in order not to evoke undue reaction from, his pears, with whom he is

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problems.

Barbara Taylor says very

Educational bias and industry's bad image are blamed for 'poor quality' management

By Diana Geddes Education Correspondent

Industry and the education system must share equal responsibility for the relatively poor quality of British management compared with overseas competitors, the Department of Industry says in a discussion document, published yesterday. It says the main obstacles to raising the standards of management are the poor image of industry, sometimes

deserved: inadequate recruit-ment and career development policies in industry; the rel-ative lack of incentives to accept risks of an industrial career, and the academic bias of much of the educational sys-

The document has been prepared after consultation with senior industrialists, educa-tionists and others. It contains a foreword signed by the Sec-retaries of State for Education and Science, for Industry, for Scatland, and for Wales.

The document emphasizes the importance of industry as a wealth creator without which there can be no improvement in living standards and calls for much greater understanding and closer links between industry and the schools.

Attitudes towards industry, especially manufacturing in-iustry, are less favourable in Britain than in other important industrialized countries and are reflected in Eritain's educational system, the report says. One consequence is that British industrial managers and engineers tend to be accorded less status and pres-tige in our society than their British society. Continental counterparts. That While academic qualifica-

By a Staff Reporter

A three-month freeze on

prices of 12 products was announced yesterday by Inter-national Stores, one of the

largest supermarket groups in

the country. Its action comes after the decision in June by

the rival Tesco chain to abandon Green Shield stamps

and use the saving to cut

Reduced spending on food in

two years of inflation and wage

restraint have forced super-

markets to compete for

business by concentrating on

price cuts more than other

International Stores has now

rejected the stums and gim-mickry on which supermarkets

have prospered since the first were opened in Britain more

The products on which prices

are to be frozen from today will be packed and bottled with

austere and minimal labelling. They include oil, tinned milk,

lard, salt, vinegar, crisps and flour. Some detergent prices

A close rival to the fish

finger, one of the most lasting and popular processed foods of

the past twenty years, was sold for the first time yesterday. It

looks exactly like a cod fish

finger and weighs and costs the same. But it is made of flaked

Its appearance reflects the eud of cod as a leading provider

of protein to Britain after dis-putes with Iceland and the Euro-

pean Economic Community reduced landings. Mr Christo-

pher Lane, marketing director of Farmers' Table, makers of the frozen chicken finger, said:

"Cod is becoming an incredibly expensive ray, material and from

come even more expensive."

The larest official food price

survey shows that in the spring average shop prices for frozen average shop prices for frozen cod were double those for broiler chicken. "We know the

types of promotion.

will also be frozen.

By Hugh Clayton

breast of chicken.

Directors of the

reduces the attraction of a tions are not the sole criterion Academic Awards graduates in career in industrial manage-ment, hence the attraction of courses of study in preparation for it. While academic training

While academic training does not, in itself, produce a good manager, it is disquieting that industrial managers in Britain, particularly those concerved, with production tend to be less well qualified in academic and vocational terms than Continental managers.

Britain has a two-culture sys-

tem based on the distinction between arts and science, whereas Commental society distinguishes a third culture "technik", or the art of mak-ing things, the document says. British industry tends to rely more on pragmatism and rule of thumb than on formal trainor thumb than on formal train-ing and specialist knowledge. Lack of interest by the univer-sities in vocational aspects has led to the proliferation of pro-fessional groups as qualifying bodies outside the university system on a scale not experi-

One result is that Britain has no technical or vocational in-stitutions comparable to the Massachuserts Institute of Technology in the United States, the grandes écoles in France or the technische hochschulen in Germany.

enced elsewhere.

Supermarket chain freezes

which enlarged its use of Green least nine Birds Eye and

Shield stamps when Tesco Findus frozen foods steady abandoned them, insisted yes until Christmas.

Chicken fingers spell end

to supremacy of cod

prices on 12 products

Britain has shown more in-terest in the theoretical aspects of technical advance than in its commercial exploitation, the document maintains, Many British ideas have been more suc-cessfully exploited by competitors abroad; entrepreneurial flair was not much admired in

terday that their sudden single-

minded devotion to low prices was not connected with Tesco's

success in winning business

through price-cutting.

Mr Leslie Green, joint managing director of International, told reporters at the company's headquarters, in the City: "We feel it is time to

City: "We feel it is time to bring some stability and common sense to the high street."

Mr Michael Groves, marketing director, said: "The housewife today is utterly confused by inflation, and gimmicks of all descriptions. We are effectively going back to basics.

Mr Groves said rice, dried fruit and jellies would be added to the price freeze later.

added to the price freeze later, while tea, biscuits and jams

were being considered for it.

Products subject to the freeze

under the new labelling would not be sold under the com-

pany's own name. Profits on them would be low.

"Some people have gone berserk on their own-label development", he said. "Gur margins will be 10 per cent below traditional own-label margins." He said the company, which has 650 outlets, would also per prices of at

money go farther", Mr Lane said.

The chicken finger is made in the same way as its fish counterpart, he explained, with

blocks of frozen chopped chicken coated with bread-

Farmers' Table is a subsidiary of the Fitch Lovell supermarket and meat gosup, which is investing in the farming of trout and sea fish. It is also to sell

sausages and rissoles made from

Fitch Lovell is the third largest chicken company in Britain and has employed 30

workers to strip carcasses by hand for fingers. About £500,000 will be spent on re-

search and promotion

Mr Silkin, Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food,

said yesterday that suppliers of animal and poultry feed had cut prices by £3 to £10 a tonne. "This will greatly benefit our livestock farmers and in the long run, housewives", he said.

for successful management, engineering, technology and academic training helps to conscience from polytechnics and fer a flexibility of approach, colleges of further education, and there can be no substitute. The document says that for relevant specialist know-though manufacturing industry for relevant specialist know-

The proportion of graduates taking manufacturing jobs in Britain has fallen from about two fifths in the 1960s to only a quarter in 1975, the report shows. It is not clear to what extent that is a reflection of the personal motivations of graduates or of the lack of job

opportunities.
One committeey factor, the document suggests, might be the growing number of grad-uates studying in fields other than the scientific and tech-nical subjects most likely to lead to memufacturing employ-

Ten years ago the proportions of university graduates with first degrees in arts and social sciences was almost the same as those with first degrees in engineering, technology and science: 18,708 to 17,571. The estimates for those graduating with arts and social principle degrees this roots with arts and social sciences degrees this roots with arts and social sciences degrees this roots with the social sciences and social sciences are social sciences. graduating with and was sciences degrees this year was 33,000 against 23,000 in encioneering technology, and However, applications and

admissions for engineering and science courses have recovered since 1974. Applications so far since 1974. Applications so has for this year's entry to university are 5 per cent higher than last year and 18 per cent higher for engineering. The number of graduates in business studies, especially at postgraduate level, has also

postgraduate level, has also industry, education and management; a discussion paper (Department of Industry, 1 Victoria Street, London, SW1).

orrespondent Teachers should be provided

with school-based in-service training to help them to identify and cope with the problems of

the exceptionally gifted child in the same way as teachers received special training to help remedial or handicapped

That suggestion, by Barbara Taylor, head of Wells Primary School, Redbridge, London, and

former primary advisory teacher to the Redbridge local

education authority, is made in one of five articles on gifted children in the latest issue of

Trends in Education, published by the Department of Education and Science.

problem of the identification of "giftedness". A foreword to the series says educationists are generally seried that three elements, intelligence, special

elements, intelligence, special abilities and creativty, have to be present. But whereas an IQ of 140 was commonly accepted as the dividing line of giftedness, special abilities and creativity were much harder to detect.

spectorate and gifted children as middle and comprehensive

schools is to be published by

British Airways

want pay now

Militants among British Airways shop stewards are demanding that increased shift rates agreed last week should

operate from August 1 and not

January 1, when the annual pay agreement falls due.

The dispute, which has caused prolonged disruption of the airline, ted to the doubling of shift payments. The date of implementation is now the

if the increase was not paid Mr Morris, secretary of the British Airways Heathrow

militants

Each article returns to the

By Our Education

Training to identify gifted

pupils proposed by head

trouble if pay claims exceed 6 pc

By Christopher Warman can probably benefit from greater numbers of qualified people, in general the more serious problem seems to be local government spending mght lead councils into serious financial difficulty this

> government finance. At the meeting Mr Shore, Secretary of State for the Environment,

nan been seriled.
Quoting from the White
Paper on inflation he told
leaders of local authority that
spending authorities would not

difference between the cash first for the year, fixed to take account of wage inflation of 5 to 6 per cent, and the actual increase from

orities, and the non-metropol-itan counties, represented by the Assciation of County

treacher does not recognize the present method of distribution child's exceptional ability in a specialism.

Mr Ernest Goodman, Head system based on size of popula-

of murder

A boy aged 16, ordered to be detained indefinitely for killing a homosexual whom he had blackmaned, was cleared of murder by the Court of Appeal The boy, from Halifax, West Yorshire, had been convicted Mr Ernest Goodman, near master of Manchester High school of Art, says gifted children are entitled to their own fulfillment to the mban areas.

The AMA maintains that the ary 14 of murdering Mr Monammed Lai Khan, aged 50, a Halifold to the mban areas.

The Court of Appeal substituted a manslanghrer conviction and a standard of five years' detensentence of five years' deten-

> Lord Justice Bridge, sitting with Mr Justice Willis and Mr Justice Crichton, held that Mr Justice Boreham, the trial judge, had wrongly told the jury that the boy's youth and imma-turity could not support his defence of provocation.
>
> The court certified that the

> case raised a point of law of general public importance and directed Mr John Barry Mortimer, QC, for the Crown, to apply to the House of Lords Appeals Committee for leave to appeal against its decision.

Newcastle Housing Commit-tee decided yesterday to demolish 98 houses in Rye Hiji

From a Special Correspondent there would be no need for reproliferation of plutonium. Mr Warner has said that al though zircaloy fuel might be stored for up to 20 years and remain suitable for handling

A Leyland-DAB articulated bus in the Strand, London, yesterday for

evaluation by the National Bus Company.

Nuclear store design

'will take 20 years'

It would take 20 years to de-

velop fully a process whereby

spent nuclear fuel could be

stored for 50 years, Mr Ben-

jamin Warner, deputy head of

British Nuclear Fuel's research

and development, told the

He was answering a ques-

tion put to him by Mr Justice

Parker, the inquiry inspector,

on July 5 as to what he would say if "you were told today that there was to be no oxide

reprocessing, that you will have to store the lot for 50 years:

all the fuel in stock and the

Friends of the Earth, the en-

vironmental group which is one of the main objectors to BNF's

plans for oxide reprocessing at

Windscale, has emphasized its

view that reprocessing should be delayed for perhaps 10 years

to develop a long-term means of

storing spent nuclear fuel. Once that process was accomplished

arisings '

Windscale inquiry yesterday.

and reprocessing it would be imprudent to store much fuel from the Windscale and Calder advanced gas reactors in ponds for more than a decade. Mr Warner denied that in reaching those conclusions BNF was being too cautious.

Mr Justice Parker's question had required some deep con-sideration by Mr Warner and his colleagues. A big design and feasibility study by his de-partment would be needed, and

to design and build long-term storage for tens of thousands of tonnes of spent nuclear fuel would take 20 years. Mr Warner agreed that long

term storage was feasible and that very little thought had been given in the past to a process for that because of the assumption that oxide repro-

EEC agricultural policy 'falsely accused' By a Staff Reporter

Sir Henry Plumb, president the National Farmers' Union, attacked critics of the EEC last night and reaffirmed the union's strong support for it. They quite falsely accuse common s ericultural -policy of raising food prices in Britain", he told members of the Bow Group in London. The policy suffered from the failure of politicians to climinate the monetary confusion that surrounded it. The most inflationary foods of today, such as

tes and coffee, were outside the policy. He called on critics to help

to improve the policy. "It will take time and patience", he said. "Who but a fool would expect nine nations, eight of them so recently at war, to behave like a board of directors in so short a time?"

Inquiry told of animosity among pilots

The prospect of conflict 4 the flight decks of heliconte supplying North Sea oil it was the main reason why mu than fifty striking pilots we dismissed, the Bristow Helicoters inquiry was told yesterda

The inquiry is into the seve week stoppage by Bristow pilo at Aberdeen earlier this yes which started after a pilot, w refused an overseas posin had been dismissed.

into one crewroom with it : non-strikers.

"They would fly in an air craft together with clear major differences of opinion

on introduce this."

Mr Tugendhat asked: "War
you aware of the public inquiinto the Trident crash a
Slough in 1972?" Captain Ga don replied that he was. Captain Robert Britis, at 32, told the inquiry that i joined British Airline Pilo Association (Balpa) in 1976 a direct result of his exper

military exercise while he williging a Bristow helicopter cohester duties he came yet close to getting killed in near-miss.

to Bristow's.

A last-minute attempt by two Indians to avoid extradition on a charge relating to the alleged theft of pillars from a temple failed in the Queen's Bench Divisional Court, yesterday. They were refused writs of babeas corpus for their release. Mr John Wilmers, QC, for Om Prakash Narang and Manchar Lei Narang, said they were due to be put on an air-

the hearing of an application thave them quashed. Mr Harry Woolf, for it. Home Secretary, said the me had exhausted all the leg

Plight of London's single homeless grows worse By a Staff Reporter

The position of single and childless people who are homeless in London is worsening. An analysis of figures in the annual report of After Six, a 24-hour advisory service covering Greater London, shows that people who approach the organization are now more likely to be homeless already, with an increasing proportion

ilicely to be homeless already, with an increasing proportion "literally without a place to sleep that night".

After Six handled six thousand telephone inquiries last year. More than half of those telephoning were already homeless, and only half of the inquirers were in employment. Single unemployed people who become homeless are likely to be caught in a trap, the report says. It adds: "The position of those looking for accommodation in the private sector who do not have a secure lob is very difficult Bourille." sector who do not have a secure job is very difficult. Equally, the homeless person may be at a disadvantage in compening

for jobs."
While official reports show

There are only three council run common lodging houses i the capital, and public authorities are said to be slow it adjust their dwelling mixing. to an increasing proportion to households of one or two

persons.
Where London boroughs have attempted to provide homes for single people the means of having very little to do with housing need; the methods do making property available. making property available appear to have been selected for management convenience.

After Six attacks the Covern ment's intention not to give single and childless people priority under the Housing (Homeless Persons) Bill before Partiament.
"Ironically", the report says
"the Homelessness Bill is passing through Parliament at the same time as the Criminal Law.
Bill, the provisions of which relating to trespess will have

serious consequences for squatters and licensees. The net effect of the two Bills for the single homeless threatens. to be a serious ectback."

After Six Annual Report 1976-77

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William IVth Street, Lendon, WCZ).

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automin and next year if new pay agreements exceed t or 6 per cent. one of quality, particularly in engineering. During 1978-75, more than two fifths of British per cent. That became clear after yes students entering university to study engineering and techno-logical subjects had worse than

imphasized the government's intention of adhering to the limits for public spending that had been settled.

spending authorities would not be able to rely on supplementary provision beyond the cash Local authorities, who employ more than two million staff, will be factd with pay claims from more than a million manual workers in November. Claims are also due from firemen and the police in the autumn. Manual workers account for between a quarter and a third of the local government wages bill.

Mr Tom Caulcott, secretary of the Association of Metropolitan Authorities, said after the miteting that with unions thinking of pay increases of about 10 per cent councils could be left to pay for the difference between the cash ture and attitudes of Britain's educational system contribute to the image that industry is insufficiently socially respon-sible; that life in an industrial sine; mat he in an industrial, firm is a rat race; that careers in the professions or public services offer greater job satisfaction, and that rewards in industry do not compensate

sufficiently for the risks and pressures involved. That image is reinforced by the tendency of sections of the national press and broadcasting to give undue prominence to reports that dramatize conflict and show industry in an unfavourable light.

> Since the financial year runs to the end of March, that might mean a high cost to local authorities. "It can be paid for only by employing fewer staff, cutting services, or putting the cost on to the rate-payer", Mr. Caulcott said.

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The meeting, attended by ministers from all the main spending departments, also saw, as expected, a fundamen tal clash between the big cities, represented by the Asso-clation of Metropolitan Auth-

All parties were in agree-ment that the difficulties in the present distribution of the grant had been exacerbated by the spending standstill. It was agreed that what was required was an accepted and agreed definition of the needs that form such an important part of

That, however, can be Case for Lords resolved only in the longer term. The serious difference of of boy cleared opinion between the two assu-ciations about the share of the grant to which each believes it is entitled was not resolved at

A teacher's expectations might be too low, possibly because of lack of experience or training. The child's personality might confuse: a neat, hard-working child, might appear more able than the unity rearrange. knowledge might mean that the teacher does not recognize the child's exceptional ability in a

Mr Maxwell Aitken

has a salement from Beaver brook vesterday said: "Mr Aithen resigned as a director on Friday". No explanation was given. He joined the board

of shift payments. The date of implementation is now the only point of contention.

Mr. Iam Morris, Socialist Workers' Party candidate for the presidency of the Amelgamated Union of Engineering Workers, which is being vacared on the retirement of Mr. Hugh Scanton, said yesterday that he would "stir it up" if the increase was not paid British Airways Heathrow joint shop stewards' committee, said there would be a recalled meeting of the committee if the airline said there would be a recommittee if the airline said the said and the s it could not pay the money on

leaves Beaverbrook

His resignation comes less it is understood that Mr than a month after Trafaigar Aithen will receive compensations Investments had paid then for loss of office meanly film to take

A statement from Beaver-

in Jenuary. Mr Victor Matthews, Beaverbrook's new executive chair-man, said later that there was no question of a board room disagreement.

"He has left with the utmost good-will between us". he said. "There is no bad feel-ing at all, and he is going to help us in future on a number of activities he has been involved in within the group." Mr Airken did not see him-

Mr Maxwell Aitken, son of self in the newspaper world. Sir Max Aitken, has left the after the family had given to board of Beaverbrook News control of the group, he said papers, the Express and Even No other board room changes ing Standard group.

tion for loss of office, which may emount to £45,000. When Trafalgar announced the takeover at the end of last month it was agreed that his father, Sir Max Airken, son of the late Lord Beaverbrook, mould resign from the board and become life president.

At the time it was stated that "no other changes to the board of Beaverbrook are at present envisaged".

Trafalgar House acquired the

group after getting the backing of the controlling Beaverbrook Foundation, which held most of the voting shares. It was suggested then that voting in favour of the Trafalgar bid was by no means unanimous among the Beaverbrook family, how-

Axe on homes after repairs

West after spending about £500,000 on renovating them. Families had campaigned for the demolition because of the condition of the houses, which included extensive rising damp. The council has spent £2m over seven years on improving the area.

needs special attention.
The new system of group teaching enables teachers to

give that attention to newly-arrived non-Welsh speakers;

but their numbers are growing.
There are few wholly Welshspeaking primary schools now,
and immigration, with other
anglicizing forces, gives Owynedd educationists increasing

Gwynedd's billingual policy has critics because in some parts of the county English predominates. Mr Bowen Rees said: "The policy relies to some extent on tolerance and I think it largely succeeds. In a way, we are turning the tide.

"We turning the tide.

"Welsh has suffered through

the centuries by not having had the prestige of being an offi-cial language. When county councils were set up 90 years ago the Attorney General said

the use of Welsh in them would

"That has all changed now.

Welsh must be used officially if it is to be respected and no language can develop unless some of its civil servants are

housewife is constantly trading down, trying to make her Strike dries up taps in **10.000** homes

More than 10,000 homes at hore than 10,000 nomes at the south end of Liverpool are likely to be without water at least until Thursday, after a decision by manual workers employed by the North West Water Authority on Merseyside to continue an unofficial strike. No repairs are being done. no repairs are being done, and a jammed valve has dried up the Park Lane reservoir, cutting off supplies since Saturday to 210 streets in the Aighurth and Dingle districts. Ninety mains layers are claiming overtime pay, and 300 workmates have stopped in sympathy. A meeting of the men in Liverpool yesterday voted almost unanimously to stay out and not to meet before

Thursday.

The authority said the situathe sometry said the shoar tion was being kept under emergency review. If more faults developed, other areas might be quickly affected. Local council leaders appealed for consideration for the elderly and young children.

Elm battle lost

Forestry Commission
Ce. West Sussex County
cil is to give up its fight
the spread of Dutch se. Four out of every n the county are

Thirteen youths accused after London clashes

Thirteen young men appeared at Horseferry Road Magistrates' Court, Westminster, yesterday after violent clashes between punk rockers and rival teddy boys in King's Road, Chelsea, at the weekend.

Stephen Simmons, aged 17, of John Wilson House, Woolwich, who was said to have been seen beating a youth with a studded belt during a scuffle, admitted having an offensive weapon. He was fined £20, and have to be of good her. bound over to be of good behaviour.

Nine youths including a Teddy boy who was said to have chased a punk rocker girl shouting death threats, were remanded on bail. Immigration officers were

urged yesterday to search for weapons on Continental punk rockers and Teddy boys arriving in Britain. Mr Alan Silverman, chairman of Chelsea Iuvenile Court, after hearing cases involving a spring-loaded cosh, flick knives, a home-made knuckleduster and a cut-throat razor, said consulates would be asked to warn young people. "We shall be considering immediate detention centre orders for young people, whether they come from abroad whether they come from abroad or Britain, carrying this sort of Britain, carrying this sort of wespon and getting involved in incidents", he said.

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English-speaking majorities and they, too, can feel at ease.

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Gwynedd County Council, North Wales, has a unique place among local authorities in Britain. As an act of faith and determination it has committed

itself to operating in two languages. In its debating Trevor Fishlock chamber in Caernarion are ear phones and an interpreters'

phones and an interpreters' booth. In its headquarters is the translating unit, which renders Welsh documents into English and English documents into Welsh.

After three years, most councillors and council officers regard the bilingual policy as successful. It costs £75,000 a year, a fifth of a penny rate, for the translators, paper, printing and other costs of doing things twice, but the general view is that that is a bargain price.

Gwynedd covers the former counties of Anglesey, Caernarcounties of Anglesey, Caernar-vonshire and Merioneth, and

vonshire and Merioneth, and has a population of 225.000, more than two thirds of whom are Weish-speaking.

The bilingual policy was instituted for two reasons. First, it was felt strongly that the council should reflect the linguistic character of the region and enable people to deal with local government in the language in which they felt more comfortable. Secondly, it was thought that Gwynedd, the

Regional report

Caernarion

English.

Mr Ioan Bowen Rees, the county secretary, said: This region is a great heartland of Welsh, and if it is not defended here, of all places, it can have no hope of survival.

"It is not a question of fanaticism. In the first place, it is a matter of democracy. A citizen should be able to use the language of his choice.

"This is a Welsh region and most people use Welsh as their first language. In contacts with the machinery of government they should feel at ease. After all, for many years, the Welsh speaker was expected to use the language chosen by officialdom: English.
"We believe the citizen

of bureaucracy and authority as. Translation of agendas, re-

Gwynedd uses two languages in its corridors of power

should choose and this applies equally to English-speakers. Some areas of the county have English-speaking majorities and

interpreters provide simul-taneous translation. It is swift lessly. But a child arriving enough for councillors to inter-from England at nine or 10 enough for councillors to interrupt and join in repartee.
For some councillors, bilingual debating has brought
greater comfort. Raised in a
tradition of using English as
an "official" language, they
had used it in the council
chamber; now they enjoy the
freedom of employing their
everyday language.

Translation of agendas, re-

ports and other documents sometimes present difficulties. "The translation staff are under-grear pressure", Mr Bowen Rees said. "We sometimes run into trouble when a long report is needed at short notice. If pressed, we print a report in one language, English; but councillors complain about that. We try to arrange things carefully. A bilingual policy needs a little more effort."

The policy requires extra care in education. Immigration of English-speaking children and the growth of the English-speaking minority present difficulties for teachers. In most primary schools the main lan-guage of instruction is Welsh, although in secondary schools it is English.

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Captain Alistair Gordon, Br tow's operations director, sa between those on strike and i pilots who continued flying.

Captain Gordon said to during the strike external pri sures on Bristow were insu mental in making loyal pilot feel entipathy towards at

strikers.
He told Mr Michael Tuges hat, for Bristow, thes if g pilots had been reinstated the would have had to be integrate

nices with Bristow. He said that during

"I complained to the chi-pilot", he said. "He was unsi-ling to look into it. I me complained to the Civ Aviation Authority, who they had no communication with the military." Captain Britts consulted a RAF wing commander with said that information about it, exercise had been telephone

Indians' attempt to avoid extradition fails

were due to be put on an air-craft at Heathrow at 9.30 today. Since the Home Secretary ordered their extradition the situation had changed. The

processes open to them Britain. In March the House Lords had allowed an appeal the Indian Government at reversed a Queen's Bent Divisional Court decision of the men should not be returned to India.

Lord Widgery, the Lor, Chief Justice, sitting with & Justice Evelegh and Mr Justice. only witness against them had Justice Eveleigh and Mr Justice died and the High Court in Forbes, said there was nothing Delhi had ordered a stay of the further the court could do.



armworkers reply pay guideline ith claim nearing 50%

obtained.

12-month rule.

The TUC General Council

will be asked tomorrow to

approve the policy statement agreed last week by its economic committee, the core

of which was observance of the

However, there is deep con-cern among employers that even if the TUC conference in

September supports the 12-month rule there will be nothing to take its place as

phase two agreements begin to expire. It is feared that

Police plan tactics: The Police

Federation, which represents about 120,000 officers in Britain,

has begun a series of meetings aimed at deciding its next pay claim. A straw poll last night seemed to indicate that the next

claim may range between 40 per cent and nearly 100

A senior federation negotiator said last night: "Percentages are very confusing because the

sort of money we are talking about will obviously have to

be spread over a period of time. So in fact what we are consider-ing at present is not so much how much but when and over

for something that could eventually give us about £30 a week in some ranks but we are

very conscious of the feelings

Lord Edmund-Davies is at

of the rest of the country

Obviously we are looking

several claims a year.

direct challenge to the r cont after phase two is prepared by form as one of the lowest-paid of workers in Britain. National Union of edeural and Allied ers (NUAAW), will submotion to the TUC rence in September for a

see of nearly a half on rmworkers' present basic en of £39. mil submit its Board on September 20.

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two wage deal. It arises
a decision of the union's
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warning of sanctions

> ust 1 of up to 10 per cent. claim, coming 13 months r the last deal, is being e by the Barclays Group

r Bob Carthy, general etary of the National Westetary of the National West on them because we have no ster Staff Association, says faith in their negotiating the association's latest machinery."

next year for school building to sertle under phase two limits from July 1 if, by delaying a sertlement for a month, a more realistic figure could be

By Our Education Correspondent

The school building programme for 1978-79 will total £135.8m and the nursery school building programme £3.4m, Miss Jackson, Under-Secretary of State at the Department of Education and Science, announced in the Commons yesterday. That compares inth £118m and 52.5m respectively, for 1977-78.

More money

Local authorities are being told of their individual allocations. The allocations are not grants but limits within which building projects may start in the period specified. Most of the cost will be covered by loans raised by the local authorities, but spending on the interest on the loan charges is substantially assisted by central government through the ratesupport grant.

Most of the total value of starts, £119.2m, is the "basic needs" provision for additional primary and secondary school places in areas of population is for improvement and replace-ment of buildings.

Far the same year, 1978-79, the Government is planning to start on higher and further education projects valued at £40m at present prices, Mr Oakes, Minister of State for Education and Science, announced in the Commons yesterday. The total for 1977-78 is £15.5m.

That includes (9m for universities, subject to further dis-cussions with the University Grants Committee about future needs; and £6m towards starting projects to provide the addi-tional 10,000 places in non-advanced further education which the Government recently announced it would provide as part of messures to help the

would be allocated to help to accommodate the forecast inleavers wishing to take non-advanced courses, Mr Oakes

'Think tank' gives commerce priority over diplomacy The first of two articles on the previous examinations of Bri-Review of Overseas Representain's overseas efforts in the

tation to be published next week by the Central Policy Review Staff, the Government's "think tank".

By Peter Hennessy

Dr Zbigniew Brzezinski, President Carter's National Security Adviser, remarked some years ago, turning a tired cliche on its head, that "if foreign ministries did not already exist, they surely would not have to be invented ".

Similar views are popularly

attributed to the team of seven from the Central Policy Review Staff, the Government's "think tank", the result of whose examination of the entire spectrum of the United Kingdom's overseas represen-tation is to be published next week. Their application of cost-benefit analysis to the country's efforts abroad and the staff and structure required at home to support it bas been luridly portrayed

the press and some Whitehall

the soul of British diplomácy. Misleading leaks to the effect that the Foreign Office would disappear and the Diplomatic Service be wound up under the new scheme of things aroused the kind of peculiarly ferocious response occasioned when venerable institutions come under attack. The shot and shell uploased by such speculations have obscured the manner in which the "think rank's" investigation

has represented a quantitative

and qualitative leap beyond

Agency journalists 'black'

postwar period.

1943 which established a unified Foreign Service. Like that inquiry it has been car-ried out by civil servants rather than a body of outsiders in the mould of the Plowden committee which reported in 1964 or the Duncan committee recommendations whose

appeared in 1969. The only member of the team who conforms to the good and great" image of individuals normally assigned such tasks is Sir Kenneth Ber-rill, Director of the Central Policy Review Staff. The remainder represent a balance of staff drawn from outside Whitehall and those seconded from government departments.

They include one Foreign Office man, Mr Marrack Coulding, who has since moved to become counsellor at the Lisbon embassy. Dr Tessa Blackstone, a sociologist from the London School of Economics. Mr. Tony, Hursell, and ics. Mr Tony Hurrell, an under-secretary from the ics. Mr Tony Hurrell, an under-secretary from the Ministry of Overseus Development now: working in the Cabinet Office for Mr Lever, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Mr David Young, an existent secretary from the Ministry of Defence, Miss Kate Ministry of Defence, Miss Kate Ministry of Defence, Miss Kate Mortimer, an economist form-erly with the World Bank and now a member of the Govern-ment Economic Service, and

Mr John Odling-Smce, another

It has proved more analogous White Paper, but unlike not the last word on the subto the preparatory work that Plowden and Duncan, their ject and that Britain was suslay behind the White Paper of report has not taken the taining a kind of overseas present nature as opposed to the level of staffing for granted. The value of the nonspecialist all-rounder has been directly challenged, for exam-

ple.
The briefs of Plowden and
Duncan did not allow their members to examine the Whitehall, as well as the Foreign Office structure which underpins overseas representation. returning to first principles in examining both the content and methods of policy forma-tion in London was the prerequisite for a proper review of arrangements abroad.

They were very con-cerned that the right kind of expertise and specialisms ere applied in future across a wide range of governmental acrivi-ties including exports, aid, im-migration and foreign policy formulation itself. But they assigned a lower place to the political side of traditional dip-lomacy, giving overwhelming priority to economic and com-mercial work.

A further distinctive feature of what is certain to become known as the Berrill report is the three stages through which its investigation passed. Its origins lie some years back in the era of Lord Rothschild, the "tank's " first director from 1970 to 1974, when he was sucfirst director from by Sir Kenneth, became a conviction of the

economist recruited from the Rothschild team, although not appointing in terms of usable London School of Economics, of Lord Rothschild himself, data. In common with the 1943 that the Duncan report was taining a kind of overseas effort ill suited to her diminishing role.

> produced a preliminary paper which asked fundamental quesrepresentation abroad. Their tour d'horizon found favous with ministers as it coincided public expenditure and a parliamentary dispute over "tank" as a small coll some well publicized examples peripatetic polymaths. of conspicuous consumption by Crown servants overseas.

Mr Callaghan, at that time, Foreign Secretary, instructed Sir Kenneth to carry out an inquiry into all aspects of over-seas representation. The team of seven then began phase two of about one hundred pages, fleshing out the bones of the

The third and final phase reactions and suggestions. The team visited 28 countries and 40 overseas posts at a cost of about £25,000 during phase three. Six countries were chosen for the purpose of comparative study; Japan, France, Germany, Iraly, Canada and Australia, aithough the yield from this exercise proved dis-

but unlike not the last word on the sub- the principles of management by objectives, the "think tank" team, while investigat-ing the vitals of the Foreign Office, the Department of In the autumn of 1975, two Trade, the British Council, the members of the review staff Ministry of Overseas Development and parts of a host of tions about the nature as well little contemplation about their as the scale of the country's own role and future activities. Nearly a third of the review staff's complement being tied up in a single investigation for with a new drive to reduce 18 months did not tally with public expenditure and a the original concept of the " rank " as a small collection of

> On reflection some of the team believe they should have handed over the enterprise to somebody else after completing phases one and two. A team of management consultants working with the Civil Service Office was a possibility or an

fleshing out the bones of the preliminary paper and sketching the most fruitful lines of investigation, which was circulated to ministers in March, 1976.

The third and final phase where the report has been compiled. The review staff have a maxim which encapsu lates their approach to chal-lenging the established ways of the Whitehall machine : must think the unthinkable, but wear a dark suit while you are doing it if you want people

Tomorrow: Plunuing for the 15 years.

present conducting an inquiry into police pay and conditions and that is another factor that will have to be taken into conods and machinery is made by Barclays Bank in support of a claim from sideration when we finally come to put in our claim. "There is still a lot of talking to be done between ourselves before we approach the Home young unemployed. Much of the remaining £25m Secretary with our claim. There

is no chance that we shall go to the Police Council with our

demand. We have walked out

chupel (office branch) has declared its copy "black" for the D. C. Thomson group of newspapers as part of renewed campaign for union recognition by the Dundee publishing company.

NJ. Other printing unions have agreed to step up the campaign.

The agency's management said the service would continue to be transmitted normally to the Dundee Courier and Advertise.

news to Scots papers The Press Association material until it recognized the National Union of Journalists' NUL. Other printing unions NUJ. Other printing unions

the Dundee Courier and Adver-

Hospital chief 'would welcome inquiry'

By Robert Parker

Dr David Pitcher, chairman of the medical committee at Friero Hospital, Finchley, London, said yesterday that he would be happy for an inde-pendent inquiry into criticisms of the hospital, including the locking up and use of drugs on patients against their will. report by a monitoring team

The criticisms are made in a that examines hospitals in the North East Thames Regional Health Authority's area in which monitoring Friern Hospital and its area context.

hospital last December, and produced a 71-page confidential the team who wrote the report, report, All its reports are consaid: "In some ways the hosfidential. Parts of the report appeared in The Guardian

Dr Pitcher said he and the staff were upset by the news-paper report, which took the monitoring ream's report out of context. It was a highly

authority, Camden and Isling-ton Area Health Authority, are situated.

The team, made .p of laymen and medical staff, visited the

Mr D. Crosfield, chairman of pital is outstandingly good, and in other ways it has its weaknesses."

Mr Dentis McCarthy, area administrator, said yesterday that the report would be sub-mitted to the next meeting of

ations s widening'

E & Staff Reporter . frightening picture of the peraring world population consumption of resources iven in the 1977 World lation Report, published week by Population Con-

e report points out that if present rate of population with had existed since the r of Christ there would now

of Christ there would now 100 people for every square i of earth. Half the fuel used by man has been in the past 50 years.

World's population is more than 4,000 million increasing by 200,000 every Nearly all the increase is ag place in developing tries, with the population many industrialized counticluding Britain, actually 12.

a result the gap between rich and the poor nations erting bigger every year, report says. A British en now consumes thirty to or times more resources than andividual in a developing

attempt 10 and 15 per cent the 125 million babies born year are the children of escent mothers still in their s. It is on this group parlarly that Population Conwould like to see a big ity planning campaign cted.

t present, it points out, only zird of the world's couples access to family planning. Britain alone 200,000 preg-cies each year end in abor-or the birth of an unwanted nd, the report says.

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ap between Shop stocks Russia's book taste

By Ian Bradley

Coller's International Bookshop, in Charing Cross Road. London, a mecca for left-wing bibliophiles since it opened last offend the Russians.

Quaker rurned communist

The NUJ's annual delegate tiser and Evening Telegraph meeting recently instructed and Sunday Post, Glasgow, members not employed by D. C. Thomson not to supply editorial Thomson. WORLD'SFIRS



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he legal profession must pt itself to changes affecting

pening the fifth Common-lith law conference in aburgh, he called for a ninking of the role of the yer and the judge in the sal and economic as well as

aw reform is to be one of major subjects on the

n New Zealand a royal ensive review of the counstralia several inquiries have in instituted, both by the

federal government and by certain states, into court commissions . royai land and Wales.

ar the expense of the Scottish hosts of this year's conference. He quoted Lloyd George's answer to criticisms from a Scottish MP; "When my

paganism and periwinkies.

The Lord Chancellor also referred in his speech to some of the peculiarities of Scottish legal terminology. "To the test of its, it may seem a little distrespectful to refer to a widow as a relict", he said.

summer, has a policy of refusing to stock books that might dissidents' works are barred. Customers have long been puzzled by the conspicuous absence of the works of Sola-

henitsyn and Sakharov from the shop's otherwise comprehensive collection of Russian litera ture in translation. Now, after disclosures

Now, after disclosures by three former members of the staff, Mr Arthur Mendelsohn, Coller's general manager, has confirmed that it is the com-pant's policy for the company's policy not to stock cer-tain books to which the Rus-sians might object.

Collet's has a long history of collers has a long history of involvement with communism, its original shop in Charing Cross Road was run by an anarchist in the 1930s and known as the "Bomb Shop". In 1934 it was taken over by the founder of Collet's, Miss Eva Reckitt, a North Country Onaker rurned communist.

The decision to ban dissi dents' writing sprang not from direct pressure from Moscow but from prudent financial cal-

Collet's depends heavily on Soviet money. It received extended credit, running into six figures, from Russia to help in starting the new shop. Much of its stock of Russian books is heavily subsidized.

More than half Collet's gross income, £2.5m in 1975-76, comes from exporting English-language books, mostly to Russia and East Europe. The business is naturally reluctant to lose trade

by offending its partners. The Russians, it seems, see Coller's International Bookshop, which replaced its Russian Bookshop in Museum Street, as an important showcase for Soviet culture. But they show no concern over displays of books by such bourgeois authors

lwyers to review role

a Staff Reporter

countries in the Commonlth, Lord Elwyn-Jones, the d Chancellor, said yester-

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nda at this year's confer-e. Lord Eswyn-Jones pointed the number of Commoncountries reviewing

systems, procedure and organization. In the United Kingdom recently been set up to look at legal services in England, Scot-Lord Elwyn-Jones, a Welsh-man, allowed himself some fun

forebears were enjoying a high standard of civilization and culture in Wales, the forebears of the hon gentleman were living on the barren shores of the north-east coast on piracy,

ded price at the time of going to press

Leyland to get further | More Anglo-US talks next month on Rhodesia situation | Protests at £100m: high level of production maintained

The Government had agreed with a recommendation from the National Enterprise Board that the board should provide a further £100m loan to British Leyland. This was announced by Mr Eric Varley, Secretary of State for Industry, in a statement about the NEB's report on British Leyland's performance.

The report showed, he said, that

production had been maintained at high levels over the three months up to June. The report also gives (he continued) NEB's considered views on progress towards achieving a radical improvement in industrial relations. They conclude that solid progress has been made, although they emphasize that much remains progress has been made, although they emphasize that much remains to be achieved. They recommend that they should be authorized to release further loan funds up to £100m—subject to the NEB being satisfied that progress our industrial relations reform is being maintained. The Government occept the NEB'S recommendation.

Covernment have con-The Government have considered how these funds should best be channelled to British Leyland. The House will recall that, when we debated the subject of British Leyland finances on August 3 last year, I said that there was a case for all public funds for British Leyland being provided British Leyland being provided directly by the NEB. I received a recommendation to this effect last summer from the Industrial Development Advisory Board.

The Government bave not yet taken a final view on this, but have decided that for this tracche at any rate British Leyland's requirements should be met from NEB's funds. This arrangement will complasize the NEB's responsibility for satisfying itself that sufficient progress on industrial relations reforms is being main-tained at each stage at which the company seeks to draw on any

The House will note that the NEB's report anticipates a further requirement for funds before the end of the present financial year. This is, of course, in line with the original expectation in the Ryuer report that a total of £200m would be needed this year. I shall inform the House when I receive a recom-mendation from the NEB about the remaining part of this year's requirement. By then the NEB will have reported further to me on their review of British Leyland's forward plans and I shall keep the House informed of the out-

Sir Keith Joseph, chief Opposition spokesman ou industry (Leeds, North-East, C)—We welcome such improvement as there has been but regard the three months since the strike as a short period on which to judge progress. Now that the taxpayers'

noney is being spent, is Mr Varley satisfied that the new Mim will be a more profitable investment than the car it replaces and also a better investment than a new middle range model or medels?

Does Government support for the 12-months rule mean that Bri-tish Leyland will be prevented from moving to a common nego-tiating date as they themselves want to do? want to do?

Is the company providing from its own earnings the 50 per cent of the investment cost set by the Government and endorsed by the company as a condition for contributions from the taxpayer?

With such a contribution from the

from the taxpayer. Mr Variey—The Mini replacement programme and policy is the one that the British Leyland Board have recommended to the NEE and they have accepted. They say it will certainly be better than any other options open to them and they expect it to be profitable.

matter of further discussions. For-lowing the arrangements that were agreed after the troubles earlier in the year with the toolmakers, it remains the objective of the workers of British Leyland and

management.
It is a condition that a major part of the investment programme will have to come from British

prontaming.

Mr Edward Loyden (Liverpool, Garston, Lab)—The delay in bringing forward the long-term options for British Leyland is counter-productive concerning industrial relations. If the long-term review is a prerequisite, industrial relations could be endangered in any further delays. delays.

Mr Varley—I know delays are un-satisfactory to some people. It was the NEB's own decision that they

the NEB's own decision that they should review the situation further following the troubles earlier in the year. I am pleased we have been able to go ahead with the first tranche of the 5000m that was envisaged when I made my statement lest year. ment last year.
We Hilary Miller (Bromsgrove and Redditch, C)—Has there been any change from the Ryder plan on which the House originally agreed to the giving of these funds, changes in particular in the organization of British Leyland, in its financing or on the question of the model policy?

Are we going ahead on the basis of the Ryder Report or is there already a new plan? Will the House have a full opportunity to debate any new plan?

Mr Varley—The broad plan that

Mr Varley—The broad plan that was first laid before this House is still basically the policy that is being pursued by the NEB and British Leyland. From time to time there will be modifications to it and when those modifications are agreed, then suitable steps will be taken to inform the House. organization is a matter for the NEB. They have not made recommendations to me about manage-

ment or anything of that kind.

Mr Reginald Eyre (Birmingham, Hall Green, C)—One essential requirement for British Leyland is sustained, successful production. Will he confirm that pay agreements to be negotiated will realistically take into account the need for differentials and incentives—differentials for those exercising skill and responsibility and incentives by way of a shop floor bonus for production actually achieved? Nr Varley—It is necessary that ment or anything of that kind. Nr Varley—It is necessary that there should be sustained and con-tinuous production if British Leyland is going to be a success. As to pay during the period after the 31st of this month, that is a matter for British Leyland in discussions with its workforce.

We shall expect the NEB and
British Leyland to have in mind
the Zuidelines explained to the
House on July 15 by the Chancellor
of the Exchequer.

Consumer advice

Mr John Fraser, Minister of State for Prices and Consumer Protection, in a written reply, said: A grant of about £3.5m is being made available this year to cover the costs of 120 consumer advice centres and over 250 local price

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Three Government defeats on Coal Industry Bill

House of Lords

During the report stage of the Coal Industry Bill, Lord Sandford, for the Opposition, moved an amendment to Clause 10 (Activities relating to minerals other than coal or petroleum) to require the National Coal Board to obtain Government approval before going ahead with the mining of other minerals they might find white coarsidate of the Coal to are described over the activities of the coal board.

The ameadment was carried by 105 votes to 53, majority against the Government, 47.

Two related amendments were carried by 109 votes to 59—majority against the Government. coal or petroleum) to require the National Coal Board to obtain Government approval before going ahead with the mining of other minerals they might find while searching for coal. searching for coal.

He said the Opposition were seeking nothing more than to incorporate into the Bill assurances that the Government had earlier given.

Lord Sirabolai.

earlier given.

Lord Strabolgi, Captain Yeoman stages.

Helping the old in winter

Lord Banks (L), initiating a debate or 75 but to 85 and in the next 15 the poor were protected against the cold next winter, said many the cold next winter, said many people were enduring temperatures in their homes that would lead, if they applied at places of work, to instant prosecution of employers. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, for the Opposition, said that rather than spend money in increasing amounts as the price of fuel rose, the emphasis of the social security service should be upon spending money to insulate homes. Community volunteers should be used to seek out and identify those at risk from cold.

Lord Welis-Pestell, Lord in Walting, said that an increasing number of people were living not to 65, 70

on what policies the Government and 17 years there would be an old-age problem which, if the Government did the right thing by them, he could not think at the money would not the money makes the money would not the money makes the money would not the money makes the money makes the money and the money makes the money and the money makes the money makes the money makes the money and the money makes the money mand the money makes the money makes the money makes the money make come from.

They were considering deprived They were considering deprived groups who had anything but a comfortable time during the winter. However, if everyone looked at what was being done by the Consequent, the Supplementhe Government, the Supplementary Benefits Commission for the aged, the low income groups and the chronically sick and disabled, it was, however deficient it might seem to some, a matter for which credit could be claimed for having got quite a long way.

The Local Authorities (Restora-

tion of Works Powers) Bill passed its remaining stages.

House adjourned, 8.39 pm.

The Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs is to have a further meeting with the American Secretary of State in London around August 11 and 12 for more talks on the situation in Rhodesia, Announcing this in a statement, Dr David Owen, said that meanwhile detailed work would continue with a view to putting forward specific Anglouing forward specific Angl

negotiated settlement in Rhodesia. In ment in what Mr Smith said in the said in the second set and one with Secretary Vance and one and a half hours with the exact rejection of one man, one vote, although he gave the impression of rejecting it, and that he meet again in London around August 11 and 12. Meanwhile, detailed work will continue with the second shought has been given

meet again in London around August 11 and 12. Meanwhile, detailed work will continue with a view to putting forward specific Anglo-United States proposals to all the payeles Anglo-United States proposals to all the parties.

We are all agreed that the situation in Rhodesia is potentially so serious that the Anglo-United States initiative, despite all the difficulties, should continue and that we should do all that we can to bring about an independent non-racial Zimbabwe after a fair election and on the basis of universal suffrage.

In the last analysis peace can only come from agreement beonly come from agreement be-tween those people, black and white, who will be living together in an independent Zimbabwe.

Mr John Davies, chief Opposition spokesman on foreign and Commonwealth affairs (Knutsford, C)—While we thank Dr Owen for the statement, it is not sufficient to allay the annaleties of the House before the recess. We get the impression, largely from press reports—and to a degree Dr Owen confirms it—that the mission organized under the moditum of hope with a minimum of information. Would be comment to the below the same than the minimum of information.

Granam and Low has been negative from both sides.

Are we now to be confident, on the basis of their work, that alternative proposals can be put forward? Can be clarify how he proposes to handle the important question of security during the in- agree?

terim period?

On On interim security, the Over months now the Opposition Commonwealth appears to be out have suggested with great for and the United Nations presents

Dr Owen (Plymouth, Devonport, Lab) in his statement: As the House knows, I visited Washington over the weekend, primarily to discuss the Anglo-United States consultative group. The situation is welcomed by many nationalist speakers and discussed her the situation is welcomed by many nationalist speakers and many leaders in Africa. I am aware that there is apparent disagreement in Rhodesia.

franchise.

Careful thought has been given to a mission in Salisbury. On a number of occasions we have been on the point of doing something and Mr Smith has responded in a way which gave rise to doubt. On one occasion be took the decision to have a raid 80 miles into Mozambique; on another there was the question of putting into detention people who would be involved in any process of election. We which I have to live with.

Labour MPs—It is an illegal government.

Bishop Muzorewa : As clearly and the principle of majority rule to set up a constitutional working party now? Should not fire power to enforce it.

In of Mr Smith be challenged to agree?

On interim security, the Commonwealth appears to be out accommonwealth appears to be accommonwealth accommonw

ference.
Bishop Muzorewa has endorsed

the principle of one man, one vote. He says he wishes the initiative to proceed.

Interim security is a difficult issue. We need to keep an open mind on various options. I am not in a position to tell the House what in a position to tell the House what we intend to do because we genuinely intend to hold further consultations to ensure that when we put forward proposals they have the greatest possible degree of agreement. That is the central difficult problem which we have still to resolve.

Given a firm commitment from the United States and ourselves and some unanimity from the front-line presidents and possibly South Africa, we can resolve this problem.

problem.

Miss Joan Lestor (Eton and Slough, Lab)—Would he think again about the use of the word "entitlement" in relation to the ralling of a general election by lan Smith? It would alarm rationalist leaders in Southern Rhodesia. Use of the word "entitlement" to an illegal regime could also bring about a concept that the hangings and other acts since UDI have an entitlement about them which many of us do not accept.

Dr Owen—He can do this. All many of us do not accept, these actions undertaken by Mr Smith have given me grounds for pessimism about the extent of the genuineness of his commitment to black majority rule.

Mr Jeremy Thorpe (North Devon, L)—Dr Owen's statement gives a many of us do not accept. Dr Owen—I do not accept.

Mr Jeremy Thorpe (North Devon, L)—I have to deal with Mr Smith as the de facto power. It is important for those pursuing important for those pursuing orderly and peaceful transition to majority rule that we should recognize that we in the House have still

they have more to fear from the Patriotic Front than from the regime while the regime has come to the conclusion that they must do a deal to survive in the long run?

The scene is set for a peaceful settlement. He should be careful that his proposals do nothing to prevent an internal settlement and give no power of veto to the Patriotic Front.

Dr Owen—I have always made clear that I could not accept ons

clear that I could not accept one group having an ultimate veto. One of the dangers about some of the talk about an internal settlement is talk about an internal settlement is that it does not recognize the cardinal principle of universal suffrage as it is often espoused. It does not specify the prior commitment for fair elections. It would allow a continuation of the armed struggle in which case it would be difficult even to hold elections in the prior prior prior to the prior prior prior to the prior pri

difficult even to hold elections in the present climate.

It is a cardinal principle in our initiative that we do not intend to choose the leadership of a future Zimbahwe. That is for their people. That is why I have refused to accept that we should talk only the Passionic Front. to the Patriotic Front.

Mr Arthur Bottomiey (Teesside, Middlesbrough, Lab)—Some of ushare doubts about the policy being pursued. I plead with him not totake a decision to place British forces in Rhodesia.

Dr Owen—Many have advised me against setting involved in this against getting involved in this problem. I do not have another alternative but to continue to my to achieve a peaceful settlement.
On British troops, this is a threshold across which successive governments since 1965 have not been prepared to go. It is understandable, there are severe problems with it.

Mr Robert Hughes (Aberdesn, North, Lab)—He has been warned time and time again that Mr Smith rine and time again that Mr Smith has no intention of having a peace-ful transition to majority rule. How long will be allow Mr Smith to desecrate the borders around Zimbabwe and how long will be allow this illegal regime to continue?

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prices opestions. Mr John Ellis (Brist and & the Price Commission the I prices changed by retails fresh vegetables and

Mr. Robert - Madlennan, Und Secretary for Prices and Commun. Protection (Castiness and Such land, Lab)—As part of its shi Dr Gwen—The American Administration has made it perfectly plain they have no intention of putting combative troops in Rhodesia or elsewhere in Adrica. United States involvement it: seeking a peaceful solution its widely welcome by African leaders. They welcome the responsible and tough attitude by America on aparthed and majority rights and a wider franchise. rights and a wider franchise.

Mr. Stephen: Hastings (Mid-Bedfordshire, C)—The key to success
now is the preservation of the
integrity of the Rhodesian security,
forces under their present officers
and as a strictly neutral force.
Failure to recognize this could lead
to a rapid evaporation of confidence among the European population and almost inevitably to
bloody tribal war.

There is no other possible body
capable of maintaining: law and
order during the transition and
after majority rule. will consiste until it is clear it supplies there returned to miss and that varies reflect this. Mr Ellis Someone is not seen to the truth. Until recent lettness for which the farmer getting between 10 and 20 m going at from 100 to 130 in shops. This is developed robbe Mr MacLennan—Prices shot come down when producers pit fall. It takes a long time to a full analysis of distributors in gins.

gins.

Mrs Dunwoody—Wholesaling fruit and vegetables escapes... weights and measures legislat. This is bizarre. I have sent the minister a list of bought and the minister a list of bought gas showing discrepancies. If he is not instigate an urgent levent tion into the wholesaling of the and vegenables he will be into in his duty. Mr MacLennar I will look at a figures. But the commission-already seized of the matter

involvement in Rhodesia that the United States had ruled out its own involvement in any military effort to impose a settlement. It was a view held by some that it might also he wise for the major powers to keep out of any peacekeeping mission and it would be better for some countries with a clear record of neutrality to be involved in such operations. distributors' margins and fheir distributors margins and mear port shows no evidence of pro-eering.

I propose to discuss with 1 new Price Commission if it is p

Motorway service area prices: hint of inquiry

the Price Commission into prices charged at motorway service stations was under consideration, said Mr Robert MacLeman, Under Secretary for Prices and Consumer Protection.

Mr Arnold Shaw (Redbridge, Uford South, Lab), asking if the Secretary of State would institute an inquiry, said—This scandal has been going on over the years and it is time something was done about it.

In the virtual monopoly situation that operates, an investiga-tion is needed to protect those who use the service stations. Will he look into prices and conditions in restaurants, cafeterias and at the petrol pumps and consult with the Minister of Transport on the concessions to the various firms which operate on the motorways?
Mr MacLeman—I am considering seriously and urgently the possibility of a reference to the Price Commission.

Mr Peter Emery (Honiton, C)— After major oil companies had reduced petrol prices by 3p, some-times as much as a fortnight went by before certain service stations,

reduced prices.

If there is to be a monopoly, the Government should control it. What I would prefer to have is competition. Would the minister consider, when the licences come up on motorway applications, that up on motorway applications, that more than one supplier should be granted a licence if up to six or seven brands of petrol are being MacLennan-This is for the

Minister of Transport. But I take his point on the importance and desirability of competition. That is a factor that we have in mind. Mr John Pardoe (North Cornwall, L)—The factors of scale and distribution coers are in forcur of tribution costs are in favour of lower petrol prices on motorways rather than at the smaller and wider firms stations. How many companies are involved, how long are the leases and franchises in each case and how often are they

an inquiry is under consideration.

The points he raises reflect the
anxiety of all MPs. Any inquiry
curried out by the Price Commission would be focused on those

New rules for display of petrol prices

Mr Ioan Evans (Aberdare, Lab) had asked the Secretary of State for Prices and Consumer Protection for a further statement about petrol price display. Mr Fraser (Lambeth, Norwood, Lab)—The Petrol Price (Display) Order 1977 was laid before the House on June 30 and will come into operation on August 12, 1977. We shall watch to see the effects of the order.

Mr Evans-Will he take a close look at the way the order is operating? There are no displays on motorways and there is considerable confusion on petrol station forecourts up and down the

The Government would watch carefully the operation of the Petrol Prices (Display) Order, Mr John Fraser, Minister of State for Prices and Consumer Protection, said in reply to a complaint that there was confusion on petrol station forecourts up and down the country.

Mr Ioan Evans (Aberdare, Lab)

Mr Government would watch country. There is an \$4.9p per gallon charge. How do you pay 0.9 of a penny?

Mr Fraser—The order will cover not only displays outside fore courts but will require the display of information on or near the pumps. When we made the Petrol Prices (Display) Order we had no power to ban price displays of tractions of a penny, but we shall fractions of a penny, but we shall watch the operation of the Order carefully.

Mr. Hugh Dykes (Harrow, East, C)—When the order starts, with some of the modern pumps, particularly electronic ones, it will be difficult for the consumer to

see the price clearly displayed, undoing the good effects of the petrol price war. Mr Fraser-We have already paid close attention to this point. Elec-tronic pumps will have to show maximum price per gallon being charged to the consumer as well as the price indicated on the price indicator.

The price of frozen chips

The Department of Prices and Consumer Protection were discussing with the Price Commission whether the price of frozen chips adequately reflected the drop in potato prices, Mr Roy Hattersley, Secretary of State for Prices and Consumer Protection, said Mr Edwin Wainwright (Dearne Valley, Lab) had asked if Mr Hattersley was satisfied he hadsufficient powers to further reduce the cost of living. He can prevent prices from increasing in certain

the price of frozen chips has been kept at the same figure. Mr Hattersley, Secretary of State for Prices and Consumer Protection (Birmingham, Sparkbrook Lab)—I am satisfied the new-powers in the Price Commission Act, which comes into force on August 1, will substantially help in the fight we are trying to ware. On frozen chips, the existing Price Code already insists where there is a net reduction in costs, that prices should be so constructed as to reflect that reducthe cost of living. He can prevent prices from increasing in certain instances (he said) but cannot compel wholesalers and retailers to reduce them.

Would he do something about the cost of frozen chips? When polatoes were £200 a ton frozen chips went up correspondingly. Since then the price bas been reduced to £100 and even less, but there is a net reduction in costs, that prices should be so constructed as to reflect that reduction. In the case of frozen chips, which is a matter of great concern, my officials are now discussing with the Price Commission whether the reduction in costs, so that prices is a net reduction in costs, and that prices should be so constructed as to reflect that reduction in costs, structed as to reflect that reduction in the case of frozen chips, which is a matter of great concern, my officials are now discussing with the Price Commission.

Indexation of tax cannot protect living standards automatically-Treasury minister He suggested that in the case of uprating of other social security

If only part of the tax system was indexed something had to give and it was the part that was main-dexed. Mr Joel Barnett, Chief Secretary to the Treasury (Heywood and Royton, Lab), said when the Finance Bill was further considered on report.

He moved a series of amendments under which the personal relief for a married man would be increased to f1,295 end the single person's and wife's earned income relief would become £845. The new age allowances would be £1,765 and £1,120. Additional child relief for widows will be £450. They

for widows will be 5450. They were considered with Liberal and

Mr Barnett said the cost was simi-lar to that of amendments carried in committee, nearly £500m. On this occasion the allowances had been tilted in favour of the married person. Up to the Budget the married person's allowance was about 52 per cent higher than the single person's allowance. Up to that if one automatically indexed the committee stage amendments it would have been 48 per cent higher and now it was 53 per cent higher. Raising the tax threshold was a major objective of this Government. ment, but it was not, and could the real curse, not be, the ony objective in tax Now the pos policy. I accept (he said), the raising of the threshold as a major objective which should have a high priority, but I do not accept that we should automatically accept that personal tax allowances must

of necessity be raised regardless of what else is happening. Amendments before the House would leave indexation of personal allowances automatic. Most advocates of indexation accepted that it could not stop at income tax, but it could not stop at income tax, but it was not too clear where they would stop and why. If only part of the system was indexed something had to give and it was the part that was un-indexed.

Some Conservatives sought to have indexation as a means of equezing public expenditure. That was not the view of some Labour MPs but he was bound to tell them.

MPs but he was bound to tell them that that was the consequence. Something else had to go and that something else was public expenditure. iture.
While some Labour MPs rightly while some Labour MPs rightly said they wanted to raise thresh-olds so that those people on sup-plementary benefit levels did not-pay tax it was not much consola-

tion for a man or woman who was relieved of paying taxation at the lowest level of the income scale to find that because of the alternafind that because of the alternative cuts in transfer payments that had had to be made they were worse off, net.

That could happen and would happen under the Conservative Party. He knew Mr Jeffrey Rooker and Mrs Audrey Wise did what they did for the best of motives. What they were doing and what they sought to do would put a weapon in the hands of the Opposition if it were not for the fact that weapon in the hands of the Copposi-tion if it were not for the fact that Mr Nigel Lawson (Blaby, C) was not able to carry Sir Geoffrey Howe in his plans and had to insert an amendment which left the mat-rer open.

What they now had in the Bill as it stood was partial indexation and then a choice not to have it. They had partial indexation of part of the income tax personal allowances which the House could then choose They had to ask themselves Mrs Barbara Castle (Biackburn, whether the net result of partial Lab) said it was intolerable that indexation was helpful, or other child benefit should not be inwise, in the fight against inflation. cluded in the automatic annual

partial indexation the answer was "not proven". In some instances he could see that indexation of some areas would not have any address consequences for inflation. Indexation of other areas like wages could be positively harmful. They could not index direct taxathey could not more three taxa-tion without helping the highest paid as well as the lowest paid. If they presended they could help only those at the lowest end of the direct tax scale and nobody else they were doing them a disser-

Mr Rooker and Mrs Wise had hir Rooker and Mrs Wise had taken a narrow view of what could be done by indexasion. Because of that they were nearly taken for a ride by Mr Lawson, but Sir Geoffrey Howe would not let him. Sir Geoffrey Howe was not in favour of indexation. of indexation.

All this talk about honesty in taxation was to say the least a little misleading. The implication was that if one automatically indexed then one was providing truth in

Now the position was left open he recommended the House to accept the clause as it stood accept the clause as it stood because it would give the Govern-ment and the House an oppor-tunity to decide what should be done at a later stage, and because it was the Government's intention raise tax thresholds as far as

they could and as fast as they could. Sir Geoffrey Howe, chief Opposi tion spokesman on Treasury affairs (East Surrey, C) said that £4,100m of higher tax had been imposed by stealth without explicit resolution of the House. Of this £500m had been extracted from those paying higher tax through the fadure to raise the personal allowances in line with inflation.

line with inflation.

By failing to keep personal allowances in line with the dreadful ravages inflicted by inflation the Government had extended the range of disincentives and deepended the poverty trap. The Government had destroyed post tax differentials on a dramatic scale.

Because of the Treasury's failure to change the tax system in line to change the large system in line with inflation the Treasury had become the main body to profit from the inflation which it had become the control of the large treasury in the large treasury in the large treasury in the large treasury is the large treasury to the large treasury treasury to the large treasury treasury that the large treasury treasury treasury to the large treasury tre failed to check.

The Bill as amended was acceptable because it embodied the minimum changes necessary to prevent the thief of inflation operating, in relation to this part of the tax system, as taxation by means of

The Treasury would be able to are to claw back the consequences of the amendments, but it must do so openly, plainly, above board, and explicitly. This would be a major improvement.

It must be wrong when the House had voted to fix the band at which higher rates of taxation which higher rates of taxation started at £6,000 that unless special starred at the door man prices special action was taken by the Government to raise that year by year tax could be increased for higher rate taxpayers. It should not only be the lowest paid who benefited from the changes.

benefits.

Next April the combined level of child tax allowances and child benefit for children under 11 became £5.90 a week at current prices for a family of two children. This would be an increase of about \$11 a week. If inflation ran at only 9.5 per cem, the real value would drop to £5.44 a week, meaning a real increase for two children of about \$55 a week.

Under the proposals before the House, a single man would be 72p a week better off mow. There would be a figilit in bias in favour of safeguarding that increase for members of the Government with the children in the children of tax than the would mot take lecture for members of the Government with the Effect Pewell (Down, South, 125,000 a year and all the children of the first tax the child

peaceful transition. There were strong criticisms against Mr Sith-ole bus now he is back in Rhodesla and is termed a moderate leader of

African opinion.

Mr Martin Flannery (Sheffield, Billsborough, Lab)—Many of us differ from what he is doing in trying to involve America after the terrible results in Vietnam.

Dr Owen—This is a core problem of the difficulties during the transitional period I recognize what he says about the confidence of the white people particularly during the interim period to elections. We are examining it.

Dr Owen later said on international

against inflation.

Afr Erioch Pewell (Down, South, UU) said that the appearance of the clouse in the Bill made it one of the gloomiest days for many a long year for the Tressury.

12 was a provision intended as far as possible to bind the hands and bias the judgment of Government, and Chancelors, it would do so in a manner likely to contribute to the maintenance of inflation and with the provision of yet another barrier or dike against inflation deliberately being demolished and washed away.

ished and washed away. Mrs Andrey Wise (Coventry, South-West, Lab) said despite the improvements she and her collea-gues had forced, it was still a budget which did the most for the

trying to suggest that she and her colleagues were opening the door to Tory policites and that they were seeking to help the high paid at the expense of the low paid. They knew this was more to the low paid. They knew this was unstrue.

If the Government were seriously concerned about improving the position of the poor in next year's Finance Bill they would conscript Mr. Jeffrey Rooker (Birmingham, Perry Barr, Lab) and herself on to the standing committee so they could further assist them in help-ing the low paid.

Mr Nigel Lawson (Blaby, C) said indexasion was the most important legislative achievement of this sesnon. It was a very good day's work indeed.

He had never maintained that the purpose of this form of indexation was either to encourage inflation or the answer to it. It was

non was easier to it. It was neither.

He had moved his amendment to Mrs Wise's amendment in committee because be felt that in the form in which they had the there was no possibility of her amendment being carried in committee and getting on to the statute book.

With a Finance Bill amanally they could not commit a government for future years in any rigid way. It was important to make it clear that the Chancellor must have this freedom of action, and to make that overt, he had put in that amendment.

Mr John Pardoe (North Cornwall,

Mr. John Pardoe (North Cornwall, L.) said he wished to refer to a Liberal amendment to remove from the Bill the provision inserted

from the Bill me program inserved in committee that the Treasury might by order, subject to approval before coming into effect by resolution of the House, prescribe a lesser relief in respect of any figurately year. of any figancial year.

If he was asked why he found it possible to support the addition of those words in committee and now wished to remove them, it was that

He would not take lectures for members of the Government wi received. 216,000 a year and at got such a whack off their incontact. The Labour Government is rigged the Budget for middle as agent and obtained a spin-off internseives.

He and Mrs Wise would light to produce the Budget for the spin-off in the such that we would light the such that when the second the second spin of the second sp The fact (he said) that we have a seed to be said that the saiready been told that this saiready been told that this saiready been told that this saiready ministers is a man which next session I may consideraising at a breach of privilege cuts across the rules and working of the selection committee of the selection c

House. Mr David Howell, at Opposite spokesman on Treasury sife.
(Guildford, C), said this was osmall step in the direction of maing a less bad climarie for resposible collective bargaining.

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that they were notice for publ More and more people resurt that they were paying for post expenditure. The old story about all being free carried less and is validity as they saw their out, we

The opposition welcomed a move which would help in minize the poverty trap and begin help raise the fax threshold abo heip raise the fax threshold abo supplementary benefit level.

They had here a help towards
more explicit understanding by t
people of the level of tax they wt
to pay. It made it possible to far
a better, healthier, more of
approach to public finance.

Mr Denzil Davies, Minister
State, Treasury (Llanelli, lasaid that it was a major step a
would have major consequences.

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Government refuse to permit revocation of Post Office monopoly in Cricklewood area

The Post Office had suggested that the Government should consider revoking the Post Office monopoly for the NW2 area but had been told that at this stage it would exacerbate the Grunwick situation. Mr Eric Varley, Scoretary of State for Industry (Chesterfield, Lab) said.

In reply to a private notice question by Sir Keith Joseph, chief Opposition spokesman on industry, the minister said that following the removal of 65 bags of Grunwick mail on Sahuday of Grunwick mail on Saturday, the Post Office had celled on all workers at the Cricklewood office to resume normal work. The workers at me Cricklewood office to resume normal work. The postal workers held a meeting fits morning and a further meet-ing was being held later that day. The Post Office and the Union of Post Office Workers were doing of Post Office Workers were doing all possible to persuade the staff to work normally.

Sir Keith Joseph—It is reported that pension books are being held up and it is certain that businessnen and other people in the

Cricklewood area who are totally disconnected with the industrial issue, are suffering damage. Are such people entitled to com-pensation? Has the minister received any request that the Post Office monopoly should be re-moved for the relevant duration and area? and area?

The Post Office has difficulty in carrying out its statutory duties. Although there is bound to be a risk in enforcing the law, will the Secretary of State not acknowledge that there is a much greater risk in not enforcing the law. law. (Consevative cheers). law. (Consevative cheers).

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Mr Peter Thomas (Barnet, Hendon, South, C)—The statement recently by the general secretary of the Electrical Power Engineers' Association that following a request by Apex, his members should withhold supplies of electricity to Grunwick was irresponsible.

vices ought to be resumed in the Cricklewood sorting office. That is the view of the ution, too.

M. Laurence Pavitt Brent, should withhold supplies of electricity to Grunwick was irresponsible.

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affected are not entitled to compensation as a result of this difficulty but it is something I will look into further with the Post Office Corporation. I have not received any specific request for removing the monopoly from anybody living in the area, but I have discussed it with the Post Office Corporation. I have not come to any decision at this stage. I said earlier that lifting the monopoly at this stage could well exactrbate the situation.

Mr Peter Thomas (Barnet, Hendon, Will the minister also bring this point to the attention of the Post Office insists on the performance of their clear institutory duty to provide services to the North West area there will be a widespread and irresistible be a widespread and irresistible be a widespread and irresistible of the post Office monopoly at this stage. I said earlier that lifting the monopoly and a change in the 1968 Act Mr Varley—I am not aware of any difficulty being caused in the Secretary of the Electrical Power Engineers have consistently made of the Electrical Power Engineers Association that following a review of the Electrical Power Engineers Association that following a review of the steament with the minister also bring this businessmen in the NW2 area had been requesting the same lacility but had been demed it. It seems to the performance of their clear justice has not been seen to be to the North West area that justice has not been seen to be to bandle mail? Con be office nonopoly and a change in the Post Office monopoly and a change in the 1968 Act Mr Varley—I understand that the decision at the post office after consulting the union and I was not informed until the action had been carried out.

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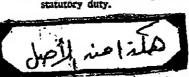
I understand there is some brouble in other districts. We want to see services throughout the country proceed normally. Mr Emiyn Hoosan (Mongomerysaire, L)—For the Post Office to the state of the colority interproces with tolerate selective interference with the mall would create a danger-cus precedent. (Conservative cheers.) The sole justification for a monopoly for the Post Office is that the Post Office and its employees should carry out their statutory duty.

Mr Varley—Our view is that nor-mal work ought to be resumed throughout the Post Office ser-vice. That is what the Post Office Corporation is trying to do and if that it is being assisted by the Union of Post Office Workers. Mr Dennis Skinner (Bolsover, Lab) in any strike or industrial Lab—In any strike or industrial conflict someone is bound to get hirt. In the Post Office strike of 1971, which was created by the Opposition when in Governthe Opposition when in Govern-ment, tiere was widespread dis-ruption throughout the country-for a lot of small business men, industrialists and others. If there is going to be any compensation it should be put at the door of Mr. Gorst and Mr. George Ward. (Lab cheer- and Cons protest.)

when the Post Office works blacked communications between this country and France in prote against the test ban meant action was taken by the the Conservative Government. Conservative Government:

Mr Hugh: Dykes (Harrow, Ess.
C)—A large number of small bus
nessmen are on the verge of bond ruptey as a result of the disput Will the minister sack Sir Willian Rylands for gross incompetence Mr Varley—No. Mr Alexander Lyon (York, Lab

If further pressure is put on the
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EC foreign ministers meet tomorrow in an attempt designed to strengthen France's meaning a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a position during to morrow's discussions. France is a point of the designed to strengthen France's meaning a position during to morrow's discussions. France is a position during to morrow's discussions. France is a position during to morrow's discussions and the designed to strengthen France's meaning a position during to morrow's discussions. France is a position during to morrow's discussions. France is a position during to morrow's discussions and the meaning a position during to morrow's discussions. France is a position during to morrow's discussions and the meaning a position during to morrow's discussions. France is a position during the meaning a positio

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president to establish what the shared between national gov-majority view is on the issue. ernments and the Commission. At a meeting of research ninisters in March the British, who were themselves then in the chair, and the French blocked attempts to put the question of the JET site to a vote when it became clear that there was probably a majority in favour of the rival German research centre at Garching

Since then the smaller EEC member-states have indicated their readiness to back Culham. But the French and the Germans still have to be brought round, and it is suggested that they could be given subsidiary work in the related field of plasma physics in compensa-tion for nor getting the JET. Reported French questioning of the scientific credibility of the project is seen here as mainly a political manoeuvre

tactics have now switched from pressing the superior technical claims of Culham-it is now admitted that Garching is as well qualified— to emphasizing the fact that Britain is the only one of the EEC's four big member states which does not have an important Community project of this

Although no final decision is expected tomorrow, the British hope appears to be to confront the French and the Germans with a clear majority opinion in favour of Culham which they will be able to accept in the early autumn after a period for reflection during the August

reflection during the August summer recess.

Meanwhile, as an indication of the urgeot need for agreement the European Commission today made public a cable sent by the director of the main United States fusion programme in Princeton, New Jersey, offering jobs to JET scientists if the EEC's project collapses.

Swedes indicted over foiled kidnapping plot

people said to have been helpers of Herr Norbert Kröcher, a West German denegisteldorf: July 25.—A ported to Germany in April after the police foiled a plot to Transport a Nacti officer, of two kidnap Mrs Anna-Greta Leijon, a former Minister, were in-dicted here today.

The counts included preparations for kidnapping, robberies and bombings, which carry penalties of u pto 10 years' imprisonment.

The public prosecutor released more than 4,000 pages of documentary evidence in the case. Herr Kröcher was stated to have been overpowered by security agents in a Stockholm Two days later the Swedish Government handed him to West Germany.

the was taking part in a take organized by the Associations of Scientific, Technical Managerial Staffs (ASTMS) More than 30 Swedes and protest at the dismissal of Solleague. Mr Leadley was lager of the Naafi shop at foreigners were rounded up in police raids. Another four suspects, including three Latin Americans and an Englishmen, were also expelled. Some susinc verdict ended a five-day ed at which nearly two dozen pects were later released but 15 lesses were heard. It was counced by Brigadier Eric ley, president of the court, ch consisted of three other cers and one civilian. remained in custody here, of whom 12 were indicted roday. Two of the others will possibly be indicted later; the

case against one suspect was The trial is not expected to open before August 8. The evidence released today alleged that Herr Kröcher an dhis companious, mostly young men and girls he had enlisted, planned

to extract a ransom of 15m kronor (£2m) from the Swedish Government fater kidee young Spaniards, two of naping Mrs Leijon. m women, have been ested here on charges of ng to smuggle 1701b of hish into Portugal, police

who occupied the West German Embassy here in 1974. The intended victim was to be intended victim was to be crammed into a specially made box and taken to a cellar rented the Swedish

by the gang:
Some of the Swedish
suspects, including one said to
have been enlisted as technical chief aide by Herr Kröcher, are stated to have admitted trking part in several bank robebries and to have been responsible for a bomb explosion outside a Spanish

trurist agency here.
The robberies netted 143,000 kronor, which was used to fund the extensive preparations and equipment for the kidnapping plot, it was alleged. There was no indication that a Japanese Red Army leader, who was expelled to Japan recently, was linked directly with the alleged

only half of those indicted are said to have belonged to the "inner circle" around Herr Kröcher and to have helped him actively to plan the kidnapping and diversionary bombians. ings. Some of the yours, alleged to have been trained in the use of explosives and sabotage techniques, were said to be amateurs who got scared and thought the German out of his mind when they realized what they were involved in.

Of the 12 indicted seven are

men and five women, mostly in their 20s.
The chief Swedish accomplice,

acording to the evidence was a 23-year-old computer technician The German Basder-Meishof had lived in Sweden since 1972 gaug, it said, held a grudge posing as a photographer, at a against Mrs Leijon because she party in late 1974, he rold the had ordered the expulsion to police.—AP.

Andreotti-Carter talks

Rome, July 25.—Signor Biulio Andreotti, the Italiau Prime Minister, left for Washlugton today for talks with President Carter which are expected to concentrate on the role of Italy's Communist Party and American nuclear policy. Signor Andreotti was due to meet the President tomorrow European countries and on Wednesday to hold a own concern.—Reuter.

The producers maintain that the falling off in demand is

The employers say that the demand from French perfume makers is now half of what it

has been in recent years. They want to reduce the number of

pickers to about 170 and pay

them the present price a lb. The unions reply that an agree-

ment is impossible on such a

So the jasmine remains on

series of discussions with top Administration officials. His visit ends on Poursday. Other topics on the agenda will include the situation in the Middle East and European détence. United States officials have emphasized repeatedly that the internal affairs of West European countries at etheir

Madrid

From Our Correspondent

Madrid, July 25

At least five bumbs exploded in Madrid early today, Spain's patron saint's day, slightly damaging several shops, includ-ing El Corte Ingles, the depart-ment store. No one was in-

The most serious explosion was in Corte Ingles, in the Generalismo Avende in the centre, where one of the main display windows was blown

No political group has so far claimed responsibility to the bombs, but Grapo (the First of October Anti-Fascist Resistance October Anti-Fascist Resistance Group) was suspected because the type of plastic explosive used has been used by them in the past. Grapo claimed responsibility for a wave of bombings on July 18, the forty-first anniversary of the beginning of the Civil Wor.

Meanwhile, trade union leaders are studying the Gov ernment's tough economic measures and are expected to pronounce on them soon, Reports in today's newspapers suggest that the unions, recently legalized, may oppose Government attempts to freeze

The communist-dominated Workers' Commissions said in a statement that the proposed curb on wage increases would seriously affect workers. Senor Marcelino Camacho, the Commissions' leader, repeated over the weekend his call for all trade unions to get together to negotiate with the Government. He said that a labour amnesty and trade union elec-tions shoud be discussed as

well as wages.
The Commissions are trying to form a Unified Trade Union bringing together all trade

There seems to be very little chance of this happening, par-ticularly as figures published today reveal that 3,000 trade unions, including regional ones and those formed by employers, have been legalized by the Government in the past

Waldheim daughter hurt in crash

Vienna, July 25.—Dr Kurt Waldheim, the United Nations Secretary General, has can-celled a visit to Paking because of a serious car accident in Austria involving his daughter, officials said today.

The officials said Dr Wald-

eight-day visit after hearing that his 18-year-old daughter, Christs, was hurt in a crash on Friday. Fräulein Waldheim, her

80-year-old grandmother, Frau Hilde Rieschel, and Frau Ritschel's sister, Frau Velerie Kroboth, aged 83, were injured when their car was involved in a head-on collision near the family's summer home at Lake Atter, in western Austria.

A United Nations official said Dr Waldheim's daughter was out of serious danger but the two older women were still causing grave concern.

Dr Waldheim, who flew to Salzburg at the weekend after receiving news of the crash, was making regular visits to the hospital and would remain in Austria for at least a few more days, the official added.

New evidence in defence of Pétain memory

be picked between certain hours when the perfume is at

such that to maintain even the current level of wages would require curring back the labour force. In Milazzo some 250 women harvest jasmine. There are about 10 firms which employ them. Speaking on Saturday on the Speaking on Saturday on the Georges Lamirand, the former for Youth in the Minister for Youth in the Speaking on behalf of the committee for the defence of Marshal Pétain's memory. He emphasized that the two essential Minister for Youth in the Vichy regime, recalled that in November, 1942, after the allied landing in north Africa, he and other members of the Vichy Constraints. Vichy Government thought that the time had come for Marshal Pérain to go to

the bushes in Milazzo, norwith-standing the local claim that Algiers. flowers there have a particularly strong aroma. The perume is especially strong in the early take him there. I was detailed morning and early evening when, of course, the women have most to do in their own to convince the marshal that a spirit of revenge, but of fra-he should leave. I shall never ternal reconciliation among forget those dramatic moments Frenchmen, M Lamirand said.

From Our Own Correspondent of our conversation in the course, July 25

A new piece of evidence has been produced in the efforts to will last a long time, and rehabilitate Marshal Pétain Frenchmen, in a France wholly and exonerate him of the occupied, will be increasingly charge of high treason for exposed to all sorts of repri-which he was sentenced to sals. I have the imperative death in 1946 by the High duty of remaining with them Court of Justice.

M Lamirand was speaking on behalf of the committee for the defence of Marshal Petain's memory. He emphasized that the two essential objectives of the committee were the quashing of the ver-dict of the High Court, and the transfer of the marshal's remains to Douaumont, the memorial containing the remains of 300,000 French soldiers who fell during the battle of Verdun

"On November 9, an aircraft The committee wanted to was ready at Vichy airport to achieve this in the spirit of Marshal Pétain himself, not in

American officials said that in the first of two days of talks on the withdrawal of up to 33,000 American ground American general, the officials troops over the next five years, the negotiators agreed to set up a combined military struc-ture commanded by an Amerito President Park Chung Hee released today said the can general. A Korean general will be

deputy and serve as second in ture is established in about a year's time, the officials said. They added that the command would remain under the United Nations, as it has since the Korean armistice 24 years

PLO peace plan ends

mystery border war

Korean troops during his visit to South Korea.

The United States general would hold three posts: com-

agreement negotiated by Mr Yassir Arafat, the PLO leader. The Palestinian peace plan

apparently calls for the end of

the propagands war between Egypt and Libya, a temporary truce and talks aimed at end-

ing the hostilities permanently

between the two countries. The PLO, which has been greatly

enjoyinv its pacifist role these past three days, gave no fur-ther details.

President Boumedienne of

Algeria left Alexandria this

morning after talks with Presi-dent Sadat in the fomer royal

palace of Ras al-Tin. He flew to Tripoli immediately after-wards to assure Colonel Gad-

dafi of the Egyptians' intention

to maintain the ceasetire.

The Kuwait Foreign Minister, Shaikh Sabah al-Ahmed al-Sabah, who has joined the ranks of the Arab mediators, also met the Egyptian President this morning to pass on his Government's unhappiness at the recent fighting. He later flew to Tripoli.

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Whatever the statistics of the battles that have been going on along the Libyan-barder—and

to maintain the ceasefire.

agreed today that an American

senior military commander in South Korea after the with-

drawal of United States ground

general would remain

Seoul, July 25.—American mander of the United Nations and South Korean negotiators command, the new Combined Command, and that of those United States forces staving in South Korea, mainly airmen. The force of 60 American

Mr Harold Brown, the United States Defence Secretary, inspects American and South

US stays in command in Korea

fighter zircraft in South Korea, which will be increased slightly, will be outside the Combined Command and sub-ject to orders only from the

planned phase-out of the troops did not mean any change in the United States commitment to the security of South Korea.

Mr Curter said he would seek substantial military assistance from Congress for South Korea and additional foreign military aid credits. Congress must approve all sales of weapons to foreign nations as well as all loan credits.

wartime spirit. Business and commercial life has continued

C130 transport aircraft and a number of Fokker military

planes were also being used.

The only signs of the con-flict visible to Cairo people have been the headlines in the

Egyptian press which are still

Egyptian press which are still ritually denouncing Colonel Gaddafi as a madman who tried to invade Egypt.

The proadcasts of Libyan radio also give the flavour of a particit war. All day today the Tripoli station has been playing martial music and appealing for "volunteers" from Islamic countries to help

from Islamic countries to help

Libya repel Egyptian troops.
Colonel Gaddati has long
aspired to cloak President
Sadat in the robes of a capitalist aggressor and this latest

At today's talks, Mr Soh Jyong Chul, the Defence Minis-ter, said South Korea wanted the modernization of its armed forces with American weapons to be completed before the withdrawal. The size of the American

arms programme, which is to make up for the withdrawal of the troops, has not been resolved. The officials doubted whether a comprehensive agreement could be reached by the end of the discussions

here. The programme would in-volve about \$800m (£470m) in additional money authoriza-tions that would need the approval of Congress, they dded. The Carter Administration

has already planned to ask Congress over the next four years for \$1,100m in Korean arms credits to complete South Korea's five-year force im-

Sri Lanka curfew is relaxed

Colombo, July 25.—A curfew imposed in eight Sri Lanka Egypt's dramatic but largely unobserved border war with Libya eppears to be over. According to the Palestine Liberation Organization, both-sides have accepted a ceasefire agreement negotiated by Me. districts after post-election violence in which 34 people died was relaxed today as life got back to normal.

Officials here said two more deaths were reported today, but the situation was now under control. Strong police patrols were being maintained

The Libyans, of course, pright not have too many civilian aircraft to spare. A correspondent for the Baltimore Sun saw wounded Libyan soldiers and refugees being unleaded at the reskind from Ministers in the new United National Party (UNP) Government, headed by Mr Junius Jayewardene, began their first working week in office. One of them, Mr Gamini Dissanayake, the third ranking member of loaded at the weekend from two Boeing 727 of Libyan Arab Airlines at Tripoli airport. The sircraft had come from the eastern border area and more planes were arriving almost hourly carrying civilians from the UNP, gave a warning that time might be running out for the east. Two large American built democracy in Sri Lanka.

The people by their massive vote in favour of the UNP might have given a last chance. for a democratic government to solve the country's pressing social and economic problems, he said. If it failed them, Sri Lanka was likely to come under either an extreme leftist regime or a right-wing dictatorship.

Carter aide explains bank deal to Senate

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From Our Own Correspondent Washington, July 25
Mr Bert Lance, Secretary at
the Office of Management and
the Budget, went to Capitol Hill this morning to defend himself against allegations of conflict of interest. He was president of the National Bank of Georgia before President Carter appointed him and has been in difficulty over attempts to sell his shares in the bank.

The purview of the office is so wide that it directly affects banking. Mr Lance therefore agreed to sell his shares, which he bought when he joined the

His first problem was that the value of the bank's shares had dropped sharply since he left the bank in January, partly because of his departure and partly because the bank chose write off a large number of bad loans, none of which had been arranged during Mr Lance's rime on the board. The second, and much more

severe, problem for Mr Lance, was the discovery of a relationship between the National Bank of Georgia and the National Bank of Chicago: the Chicago bank had lent Mr Lance S3.4m (£2m) to buy his shares in the Georgia bank. The suggestion Georgia bank helped to arrange the transaction in a slightly dubious manner. The Georgia

\$200,000 on interest-free deposit in the Chicago bank. There is nothing whatever illegal in this, and Mr Lauce defended the transaction firmly this

morning.
"This is certainly a normal banking relationship", he told the Senate government affairs committee. "The balance is maintained according to the services provided. There is certainly nothing unusual about The Georgia bank wanted a corresponding relationship "

with the Chicago bank, although it already had such a relation-ship with another Chicago bank. The directors of both banks and Mr Lance all insist that the deal had nothing to do with Mr Lance's loan. His problem with the value

of his shares seems to have been solved. His trustee, who was given complete control of his finances when he joined the Administration, announced yesterday that he had found a buyer for the shares at a price above the market price. An Atlanta corporation wanted to get into banking and found this an appropriate way to do

The proposed price is high enough to allow Mr Lance to pay off the loan from the Chicago bank. Originally he had asked the Senate committee his stock beyond the end of this year, when he hoped the

New President of India is sworn in

Delhi, July 25.—Mr Neelam Sanjiva Reddy, the veteran Indian nationalist who spent five years in jail during the independence struggle against
British rule, was sworn in
today as President of India.
Mr Reddy, who is 64, was the
candidate of all big political

parties for this largely cere-monial office. His predecessor. President Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed, a Muslim, died last

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m Peter Nichols

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nonia. July 25.-Mount n'i returned to its normally e state today after eight of eruptions that sent en lava and boulders on to

enor Salvatore Silvestri 122a, the director of the nia University Volcanology tute, said that the eruption not unusual and Etna's ent relative calm did not that its activity had

eruptions posed no er to villages round the ntain and no special pre-ions were taken to keep -ists away.--UPL

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ed. "In fact it is never at

Use of wasteland upsets E Germans ries pass to dump rubbish-on many took no offence. Now From Our Correspondent

Berlin, July 25 Wasteland being put to good use by West Berliners in the

shadow of the Berlin Wall—a seemingly trivial matter—is the keest source of friction between the two German states.

A child enjoys his swing placed on a patch of land between west and east. Chickens run on what is officially East German territory. Dogs bark in a makeshift kennel next to the

Between the grey 7ft high concrete poles marking the actual city border and the wall poratoes and beams are growprovided and beams are growprovided and beams are growprovided and beams are growplant removing by force shacks
plant removing by force shacks
man's land. For the 16 years plots. All it can do is to warn
triangle of land near the gate
through which West Berlin loruntil early this year, East Ger

German moves.

itself. Elderly

urging them not to leave the American sector. All along the fences were replaced by a con-100-mile border round West crete wall, the East Germans, Berlin cars are parked on the for obvious reasons, did not wrong side of the dividing follow the original line angle

favourable terms to the East complaints about encroach-Germans—in East Germany ments on East German territory and demands that they Elderly men and small stop are a recurring theme in children take their dogs for a talks between West Berlin walk on forbidden territory Senate and East German offi-without a glance at the signs cials. When the first barbed wire

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All this, the pleasant and the and a larger plot there
less pleasant sights along the remained outside the wall,
wall, should have disappeared. The West Berlin Senate has on East German request, by no intention of putting up June 1, or at the latest by July fences on its side nor does it

majority of Egyptians. There were rumours in Cairo fighting or air raids reported that petrol was in short supply by both sides. Western journal and might soon be rationed, lists cannot get within 100 but the city scarcely reflects a miles of the fighting. Bhutto opponents 'were illegally arrested'

Egyptian border—and members of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of some of the Egyptian claims— the "war" with Libya has had remarkably lirtle effect on the the description of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps in Cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and this latest corps aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cairo are sceptical of the diplomaric list aggressor and the cai

From Our Correspondent Rawalpindi, July 25

was told yesterday that two former ministers in the Punjab Government were arrested in violation of a High Court order in October, 1975, for having opposed the then Prime Minister, Mr Bhutto.

Mr Mustafa Khar in his statement before the judge, said Mr Irshad and Mr Tarri, who were in his provincial ter, Mr Bhutto.

The allegation was made by Mr Ghulam Mustafa Khar, a former political affairs adviser the High Court in Murree, where he is detained with Mr

Mr Mustafa Khar bad been summoned to give evidence in

camp in Azad Kashmir outside the jurisdiction of the Pakistani courts for 21 months. The two former ministers

Lahore High Court. They said their arrest and detention until A Pakistan High Court judge early this month had been for baving opposed Mr Bhutto

pawns in a political struggle between Mr Bhutto and himself. He said he knew about former political attairs advised to Mr Bhutto. Mr Mustafa their illegal arrest. There had been an offer to release them their illegal arrest. There had been an offer to release them to their illegal arrest. There had been an offer to release them to their illegal arrest. There had been an offer to release them to their opposition to Mr Bhutto. The offers, he believe, came from Mr Bhutto.

Mr Mustafa Khar returned Bhutto and some members of to Mr Bhutto's party a few months ago and was appointed his political affairs adviser in June. He said he had rejoined a habeas corpus petition filed Mr. Bhutto to secure the on behalf of Mr. Chaudhri release of his friends who Mohammad Irshad, a former were still in illegal detention. Punjab minister.

Mr. Chaudhri Irshad, and the former Prime Minister's adviser that be personally It was after taking an oath as enother former Punjab minis adviser that be personally ter, Mr Iftikhar Ahmad Tarri, requested Mr Bhutto to release were among 33 derainees who Mr Irshad and Mr Tarri. Mr alleged they had been kept in Bhutto had assured him they "illegal detention" at Dalai would be released in early

Meanwhile, the editor of the Urdu newspaper Musawaat, owned by Mr Bhutto, who was claimed they had been arrested on July 20 for a removed to a detention camp the martial law authors in Azad Kashmir after they Lahore, has been release had obtained bail from the giving a written apology. arrested on July 20 for defying the marrial law authorities in Lahore, has been released after

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Moderate leaders draft plan for change in Soweto

From Nicholas Ashford
Johannesburg, July 25
An attempt to fill the power
vacuum in Johannesburg's huge
black township of Sowero since
the unrest last year—and particularly since the enforced
resignation of the discredited
Urban Bantu Council two
months ago—begins in earnest
tomorrow. A newly formed
black pressure group is to black pressure group is to unveil a blueprint for change " to a meeting of lead-

seen kept secret it is under-smod that the blueprint calls for Soweto (and ultimately other black townships as well) to have the full status of an autonomous city council with direct responsibility to the South African Parkiament. At present the township is administered by the white-controlled West Rand Board. The defunct Urban Bantu Council had advisory powers

The blueprint has been drawn p by a body of 10 moderate lack leaders known as the oweto local authority interim Soweto local authority interim committee, or the "committee of 10" for short. It was set up last month after an article by the editor of the black newspaper The World, Mr Percy Qoboza, had called on prominent Soweto figures to establish a civic body to run the city.

The committee has two strong attributes in its favour. it comprises representa-from a broad crossof black opinion and can therefore claim to be more representative of the feelings of the majority of the town-ship's one million inhabitants than any other black organiza-

representative of the feelings of the majority of the township's one milkion inhabitants than any other black organization past or present.

Its members range from Mr Leonard Mosala, a former opposition member of the Urban Bantu Council and a leading "moderate" on one side to a "black consciousness" leader before a mass raily in Soweto nch as Mr Tom Magnhata an on Sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and then be presently under white control or sunday and sunday Leonard Mosala, a former oppo-sition member of the Urban Bantu Council and a leading "moderate" on one side to a "black consciousuess" leader such as Mr Tom Manthata, an executive member of the Black l'eople's Convention, on the

ther. the Government's attitude to-Secondly, it has the blessing wards the committee will be.

Undeclared war over Ethiopian desert

From William Campbell
Mogadishu, Somalia, July 25
The hot, sprawling Ogaden
desert of Etinopia is a
150,000-sq mile tract of nothing.
It is home to millions of desert sentative Council, which was behind last year's unrest and which has been calling the tune in Sowero ever since. It was primarily responsible for the resignation of the Urban Bantu lizards, a few stunted trees and several hundred thousand nomads of Somali origin who have wandered in the region with their camels and goats for june. It has now stepped up its campaign against government-created institutions by calling for the resignation of members of Sowen school boards and black traffic policemen.

Members of the student's body, were present at the inaugural meeting of the committee and the student's leader. Mr.

with their camels and goats for centaries.

This land, which has been sucked dry by 130°F (54°C) temperatures and howling winds off the Red Sea, has given rise to a conflict, little miced by the outside world, which has built up suddenly into a small war. Diplomatic observers fear that the intensification of the conflict could precipitate a crisis in the Horn of Africa that could involve the United States and the Soviet Union.

Since early June an estimated 3,000 guerrillas of the Western Somalia Liberation From have poured into the Ogaden, seizing an estimated 60 per cent of the region. The desert makes up Ethiopia's south-eastern corner and comprises a full

by the Chairman of the committee of 10, Dr. Harrison Motlana, a Soweto medical practitioner. "The Government," he says, "has always sought to comrol blacks through corner and comprises a full third of its territory.

The insurgents, who are trained, supplied and supported by Somalia, severed the vital railway line from Addis Ababa to Djibouri, which runs through the Ogaden and carries 60 per cent of Ethiopia's imports and exports. Roaring across the de-sert in camouflaged trucks, the outposts, attacked convoys and circled the area's two biggest towns, the ancient walled city of Harer and the important

railway town of Dire Dawa. The guerrillas claimed re-cently that they had killed at east 150 Ethiopian troops in fighting round Dire Dawa, des-troyed nine aircraft on the ground and shot down another. The Ethiopians appear ready to strike back. Over the past few weeks they have flown thousands of troops, many of them trained by Israel, into the Ogaden, together with advance units of the 300,000 peasant army, trained by Cuba, which was unveiled recently in Addis Ababa after months of secret

Thousands of nomads have fled from the area into Somalia, with tales of casual killings and indiscriminate bombines by Ethiopia's American-built F-5

aircraft.

Mrs Adaer Abdi, a middle aged woman, told me in Mogadishu that Ethiopian troops visited her encampment in the Ogaden and after a couple of perfunctory questions, shoe her husband and three

"They drank the tea I had



woman from the nomadic tribes of the Ogaden desert in Ethiopia looks after her children in a Mogadishu refugee compound after fleeing the war-torn area.

left on the fire and then left without a word", she said. Another refugee said it took him two weeks to reach the Somali border. On the way he saw villages and nomad camps flattened by air strikes and hundreds of dead camels and cattle rotting in the sun. Hospitals in Northern Somalia are full of wounded guerrillas

nurses have been sent to help.
"We have launched our offensive to drive the Ethiopian Army out of the Ogaden and we are prepared to fight until the desert sand is soaked in blood", a guerrilla leader said. "The blood has begun to run." He was talking to me at the

Front's pleasant headquarters, an Italian-style villa in Moga-dishu. "We have signed up more than 700 men in the past 10 days here at headquarters and at least that many have registered at various training camps", he said.

The Front was formed in 1963. The Somali Government supports it actively with both weapons and training, although Mogadishu denies this officially. On the walls of the head-quarters were official maps outlining the dream of President Barre's "scientific socialist"

Someria." Millions of metchbox tops are emblazoned with the bright yellow outline of Grester

Somali children from their earliest years are impressed with this aim. Greater Somalia encompasses the entire Ogaden region, a large part of northern Kenya and even the newly in-dependent state of Diibouti, where France withdrew from its last African colony last mouth The Socialis dismissed the boundary lines drawn up by British and French colonizers and even the charter of the Organization of African Unity, which recognizes colonial

Government again denied today that regular Somali forces were involved, however.

The Ethiopian Government has admitted that rebel groups

Dawa and Harer.

A starement broadcast from
Addis Ababa said Somali tanks,
aircraft and heavy antillery
were involved in the fighting, but there has been no confirmation of this from other sources The Somali news agency said today that the Western Somalia Liberation Front had occupied the town of God Dere, in the Ogaden, after bitter fighting Mogadishu radio said later that Ethiopian forces had also obsu-

Another delegate at the con-

gress spoke of difficulties because of delays in the supply

Again, he did not mention China by name but the project he was speaking of was a metal-lurgical combine for which China had undertaken to furnish all equipment and expertise.

Albania broke with Moscow 16 years ago and has long been considered to be economically

dependent on its sole ally, China. But the alliance has seemed to be deteriorating for

several years and the past few weeks have brought signs of a

rowing rift. Leading article, page 15

equipment from abroad an, he did not mention

Since independence in 1960, the Somalis have accused Ethiopia of being Africa's longest colonialists. They have claimed sovereignty over all disputed areas on the ground that the majority of the population there was Somali in origin.—UPI.

Our Nairobi Correspondent writes: Although conflicting claims from Ethiopia and Somalia continue, it is clear that fierce fighting is continuing in the Ogaden. The Somali Government again denied today

have occupied large areas of the Ogađen and that fierce fighting continues around Dire

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Nine ANC members jailed Pietermaritzburg, July 25.— Mdlaose—were sentenced to Nine members of the banned African National Congress (ANC) were sentenced to jail terms ranging from life to seven years under the South Africa's Supersection of Communications. Joseph Ndlui was jailed for

Third World Report

on Sunday and then be presen-ted to the Government.

It remains to be seen what

and the students leader, Mr Tromofon Sono, urged com-mittee members to form a body

This theme has been taken up

bodies created by them, without consulting anybody and often against their wishes. These

against their wishes. These bodies have become irrelevant. The feeling now is that the people of Soweto should have their own body to cootrol affairs."

Dr Motlana is a former mem-ber of the bamed African National Congress and during last year's unrest was a founder member of the Black Parents' Association together with Mrs

member of the Black Parents' Association, together with Mrs Winnie Mandela. Both were de-tained by the police and were only released at the end of last

The committee's immediate

seven years under the South
Africa's Suppression of Communism and Terrorism Acts at the Supreme Court here today.

Five of the Tear Here Five of the men—Harry seven years. Another defendant, Gwala, Anton Xaba, John Nene, William Khanyile, was acquit-Matthews Meyiwa and Zekhele ted on all charges.

Success claimed for Bangladesh sterilization campaign

Dacca, July 25.—Bangladesh methods of some officials, thus a success, Mr Sattar says. The helping to defeat the Congress in family planning involving Party in last March's general but the total at the end of the in family planning involving more than a third of the country's 437 thanas (coun-

more than a third of the country's 437 thanas (counties).

The pilot scheme sought to carry out voluntary sterilizations in the best possible conditions. Each health centre was instructed to perform a maximum of 12 sterilizations a day, and patients remained in the centres for up to a week in the centres for up to a week

for after-care.
"We emphasize quality and after care, so that those who are already sterilized will be our agents to motivate others", Mr Muhammad Sattar, secre-tary of the Bangladesh Population Control and Family Plan-

ning Ministry, said.

Care and consideration for the patient may go far to eradi-cate many of the fears of illi-terate villagers—fears which in neighbouring India were fanned by the coercive

Guerrillas in

told to unite

Lusaka, July 25.—Leaders of the five "front line" states in the liberation struggle in southern Africa today came out strongly in support of a single united army of Rhodesian retionalists.

nationalists.

A five-hour meeting here was

A five-hour meeting here was attended by the Presidents of Zambia, Mozambique, Angola and Tanzania and by the Vice-President of Botswana.

President Nyerere, who is chairman of the front line states, said: "We need one

army to maintain the internal

security and national integrity
[of Rhodesia] ".

In supporting the Patriotic
Front, led by Mr Robert
Mugabe and Mr Joshua Nkomo.

however, the front line states had no intention of taking away

from the majority of the people of Zimbabwe (Rhodesia) their choice of leaders after the

country acceded to power, President Nyerere said. There

might be disagreement on the formula to be adopted regard-ing political movements. Mr Nkomo and Mr Mugabe,

who have been promised the exclusive support of both the front line states and the Organization of African Unity,

took part in today's meeting.
The leaders of the two other

nationalist movements in southern Africa, the African National Congress, of South Africa, and the South-West Africa Peoples' Party of Namibia, also reported to the from the leaders on their present

line leaders on their present

Rhodesia

Dacca: Government's population policy foresees an overcrowded

growth rate, projected a total population of 189 million by the year 2000.

A booklet outlining the

Mrs Florrie Adams with three of her children.

is to fight the decision of the to fight the case.

Salisbury eviction

From Our Correspondent

all-white Salisbury Municipal

Council to evict them from their home in the "whites

only" suburb of Prospect.

A former mayor of Salisbury,

Salisbury, July 25

Coloured family to fight

Salisbury, July 25 of the council, is championing the cause of the Adams family, saying he will raise the money

country of starving people if the birth rate is not further The population is increasing

but the total at the end of the eight-week programme on April 21 was 76,826.

The results of the scheme are being studied, and the ministry will decide whether to recommend it as a national

Mr Sauar, a Harvard and British-educated economist, said that before the pilot scheme began he thought there was little chance of it succeeding because only 2 or 3 per cent of fertile couples had a sufficiently high income standard to accept family planning.

However, he considered that The population is increasing by about 2,250,000 a year. The growth rate has fallen from 3 per cent in 1975-76 to 23 per cent this year.

The pilot family planning scheme in 150 thanas has been hope.—Reuter.

Mr Ivor Pitch, who is a member

No.

In brief

cakes for sharks

United States Navy spent \$340,000 (£200,000) on buying shark repellent for its pilots forced to come down in the sea, years after tests showed that it did not work, the Senate was told today.

Senator Lee Metcalf, a Democrar, said that axperiments in 1962 showed the soluble

cakes of dye and copper acetate offered no protection against sharks, which had even been known to eat them. But the Navy continued to buy them until February, 1974.

New Apollo link

Moscow, July 25.—A full-scale model of the United States Apollo spacecraft that linked up with a Soviet Soyuz in orbit two years ago is to be installed in a space exhibition

War skeletons found Bangkok, July 25.-About 450

skeletons believed to have been European prisoners of war killed by Japanese troops dur-ing the Second World War have been found on an island off the southern coast of Thailand.

Holiday drownings Tokyo, July 25.—A total of 53 people, including 11 children, drowned off Japan at the weekend as families the weekend as families flocked to the coast during the first weekend of school sum-

33 die in air crash

mer holidays.

Santiago, July 25.—A Chilean DC 6 military transport crashed in a storm in wooded country yesterday, killing 33 people on board, Air Force authorities said.

Ex-Speaker freed

Niamey, July 25.—Theformer Speaker of Niger's
National Assembly, Mr Boubou
Hama, aged 71, a close aide of
former President Diori
Hamani, who was ousted in
1974, has been released after
more than three years in prison.

Low on the range Perth, July 25.—A cowboy suffered head injuries when he was knocked off his horse by a low-flying aircraft during a cattle drive in the Australian outback at the weekend.

Silent presses Kingston, Jamaica, July 25.— The Daily Gleaner, Jamaica's oldest morning newspaper, failed to appear today after a breakdown in negotiations con-cerning the dismissal of 70

Rawalpindi, July 25.—Floods killed 50 people in a mountainous district of Paki-stan's North-west Frontier Pro-vince, officials said here.

Albanians send home US Navy's tasty | Chinese advisers delays in the building of From Dessa Trevisan Belgrade, July 25 ention Chana b ne can not mention thems by name but, as this was one of the projects China was supplying with materials and expert advice it was clear that the remark was intended as a rebuke to Peking.

Reports from Trans speak of a quiet exodus of Chinese experts and advisers who have been engaged on various indus-trial projects in Albania since relations with the Soviet Union were severed and all Soviet experts left in 1961.

According to diplomatic reports reaching here the Albanian Government has refused to renew residence per-mits and contracts for Chinese advisers. Chinese students who were studying the Albanian language at Tirana University left on summer holidays for home, doubting whether they would return for the beginning

of next term.
It has been clear for a long time that Albania was dissatis-fied with the help it was receiv-ing from its powerful ally. An the recent trade union congress, from which the Chinese delegation was absent, one Albanian delegate complained of the

US embassy lifts | Angola accuses travel ban in

rebellion area Zemboanga City, July 25.—
The United States Embassy to
the Philippines has lifted a
three-year-old travel ban on
embassy and military staff to
Zamboanga City and other
parts of western Mindanao, it
was announced today.

The travel ban was imposed
at the height of the Muslim
rebellion in the area when a
number of foreigners, including Britons and Japanese were
kidnapped for ransoms by

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It has also been disclosed that 200 heavily-armed members of the Moro National Liberation Front, including three commanders, surrendered to the Philippines armed forces on Sarurday.—Agence France-Presse.

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South African officials said earlier that Cuangar had feiler to forces of the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola (Unita).— UPI and Reuter.

S Africa of seizing town

The Angolan Defence Minis try yesterday accused South Africa of invading its territory to capture the southern town of Changar, on the border with Namibia (South-West Africa), which South Africa administers which South Airica administers.

Luanda radio, monitored in

London, said the occupation of

Cuangar "follows many other
provocations along the entire
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republic and in this way hindering the irresicible advance of

Sungei Padi, Thailand. July
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Communist guerrilla camp last
Saturday, the army announced today. The guerrillas, however,
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Evidence at the camp posts connected by tunnels and
showed that the leader of the theep trenches that ran all
only Makey regiment of the round the camp.—AP and
CPM, Rashid Mydin, had been Agence France-Presse.

Malay Communists' camp captured in Thailand

These were used as living quarters and could accommodate about 150 guestillas at a time. There were five sentry posts connected by tunnels and

It has not yet emerged who is behind the emove, as the family has been living in the suburb for two years. But there Mrs Florrie Adams said suburbs of Salisbury into which yesterday she was determined to more and more Coloured people stay in her home. She said her and Africans are moving. husband was out of Salisbury erecting security fencing against guerrillas, and one son was in the Army. A former against Salisbury The council's move is believed to be embarrassing to the Government and it could be that pressure will be brought to bear on the council to back

Floods in Pakistan

The camp, in dense jungle, was hidden from the air by the thick canopy of tall tropical trees. It had five large huts and 10 smaller ones made of wood, bamboo, and leaf thatch. The camp, near the border in southern Thailand, had been the headquarters of the 10th regiment of the banned Communist Party of Malaya (CPM). The guerrilas fled the camp to escape That and Melay-sian air and artiflery bombard

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The Act II finale: Hans Sotin and Gwyneth Jones, and, right, Colin Davis

Bayreuth under its first British conductor

Quite often recently Bayreuth has looked to Covent Garden for singers but never before last weekend for a conductor. On Saturday Colin Davis cut hinself a swath of Richard Wagner's green hill by opening the festival with Tannhauser, so becoming the first Eritish conductor ever to appear there. At the end of the evening there were one or two dissenting voices to greet performers and production team alike. Bayreuth EN'S SILVER RUBILEE

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SON SW5 77A. 01-371 5141 would scarcely be Eagreuth time is without the complainers. But music, they were drowned by the applicase. The overwhelming impression was that this was the best Tamhhuser so far in Göz Friedrich's staging, origi-

nately seen five years ago. Davis had one or two obstacles to vault over both on his way up the hill and in-side the theatre kself. Bayreuth opening nights are deceptive. The outward display of pomp and circumstance, with posses of police and only slightly smaller posses of dignitaries from Eavaria and beyond, conceals the fact that the great majority of the audience are virtually season ticket-holders who know precisely what they want to hear and are suspicious. of newcomers. One local paper calculated that between 70 and 80 per cent of the Bayrouth public renew their seats year

Friedrich's production, lucid

easy for the conductor. The curtain rises the moment the curtain rises the moment the music begins in each act, so the first prelude is an accompaniment to Tamhäuser's decision to change his life style. The strings of the harp through which he looks at the world are ropes which fetter him, a symbol repeated later, and he decides to throw them off, in cides to throw them off in favour of the pleasures to be found up in Venusberg. It is informative and at the same time it distracts a limit from the

Davis also found his Venus

Tamhauser (Gwyneth Jones and Hermiu Esser) uncertain in pitch during this first scene. It was not world Tamhauser returned to the valley, a scene magically realized in Jurgen Röse's designs with no break in the transformation and the opulence of Hermann's hunting party contrasting with plain green of the Thuringian countryside, that the opera truly gripped. Once the hold was gained it was not released. The second act is the apex of Friedmann and the second act is the apex of Friedmann are in the apex of Fri rich's production as he builds up the formality of the Landgrave's court in order to make the change of heart and face the more vicious when an unbeliever, Tannhäuser, is found within the ranks. The closeness of the Friedrich-Davis partnership was made clear by the skill which which the conductor. with which the

of Elisabesh's entrance aria through the half-mocking reverence of ceremonial to the final fury of the rule-makers when their standards are challenged. This was a remarkable piece of musical architecture, superbly restized by both the chorus and orchestra of Bayreuth, with whom Colin Davis appears to have achieved immediate have

With this success won he balanced the final act with equal authority, allowing the full breath of melancholy for Elisabeth's Prayer and being gentle in his support for Wolfram's sentimental address to that evening star. The consistent response to the change of mood which has always characterized Davis's Berlioz is reflected in his approach to Tamphäuser: he relishes rather than recoils from the obvious secular from the obvious popular moments, he delights in the luscious passages and most of all he is happy when working on an enormous canvas. Big is beautiful and Bayreuth is nothing if not big. The bond must surely be renewed.

William Mann reported the outrage when Friedrich's view of Tamhäuser was first seen at the opening of the 1972 festi-val. As so often, yesterday's scandal becomes today's con-vention, and the selfvention, and the self-appointed guardians of Wagner

were clearly holding back their energies to protest against the revival of the Chereau Ring this week. The opening and close of

the production are still faulty. John Neumeier's bacchanalian ballet shows a great deal of sexual effort being expended to apparently little effect. Gwyneth Jones still doubles Venus and Elisabeth. I admire her courage in showing off considerably more of her body than a Nachtlokal hostess as Venus and doing so among the dancers-ballerious and sopradancers—ballerinas and sopranos tend to come in rather
different shapes. But the role
does not suit her wocally.
Friedrich, who was at Bayreuth to supervise this revival,
has also stock by his final
scene where Wagner's young
pilgrims are turned into greyclothed workers apparently repilgrims are turned into grey-clothed workers apparently re-deemed by Tamhāuser's actions. Between these blem-ishes the production is mas-terly; it is determined in its insistence on removing all the insistence on removing all the medieval accretions from the opera and it is constantly en-lightening on the sheer impos-sibility of being an individual in a society which lives only

Hermin Esser, shaggy-haired and ravaged by guilt, trans-mitted many of Friedrich's ideas about the man at odds with the world into which he is born. The singing was erra-

for too long and at its best producing that sustained heroic ring Tamhäuser fanciers are constantly searching for and so rarely find. It is easy to criticize Esser's Tannhauser, but since so few tenors are prepared to tackle the role it would be better to praise him for the way he handled the finale to the second act. Gwyneth Jones's Elisabeth is as genuine and afferting as her Venus is blowsy. She produced the most pure and translucent tone for the Prayer; the sure remains ravishing. Bernd Weikl's Wolfram has a warm and velvety rone, right for a man almost irritating in the amount of goodness he exudes. There were few weaknesses in the rest of the cast led by Hans Sotin's imperious Landgraf and Franz Mazura's angry Biterolf.

Tannhäuser was Friedrich's first Wagner production. It paved the way to the Covent Garden Ring and the associa-tion with Colin Davis. The wheel has now come full circle-with Davis making his Bay-reuth debut in Friedrich stag-ing. Philips, for whom Davis records, must surely be won dering how best to use this for the gramopartnership

John Higgins

Liverpool composer's Jubilee commission

RLPO/Groves Albert Hall/Radio 3

Paul Griffiths

Saturday night at the Proms always used to be the time for your 100 best times. Robert Ponsonby seems to have been determined to get away from all that this year, and he began his attack on the first Saturday of the second sec his attack on the first Saturday of the season. The programme began and ended with jobly pieces; Malcolm Arnold's overture Beckus the Dandipratt and Britten's Young Person's Guide, but it also included the first of three BBC Jubilee commissions to be heard at this year's Proms, Edwin Roxburgh's Montage.

The title of the piece, Rox-burgh explains, comes from the film rechnique in which "dis-parate elements are welded into a consecutive whole." Disparate elements the work contains aplenty, but I am less certain about the welding, and not cer-tain at all about the consecu-tive whole. Like many com-posers faced with an orchestral commission. Roxburgh had commission. Roxburgh had taken the opportunity to put in all the attractive sounds he can think of. His Montage crams in everything from lonely flute solos to swift tutts charged with lots of percussion,

from circlings of violin harm-onics to rather comic wobbly movements for woodwinds and muted brass.

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As far as form is concerned. the piece bears some resemblances to Boulez's Pigures-Doubles-Prismus, whose title indicates the principles involved. An opening section sets out the basic ideas, of which Roxburgh has 12. These are then considered separately in a sequence of developments. and finally they are brought to-gether in kaleidoscopic tamult. Unlike the Boulez work, Roxburgh's piece uses the orchestra in conventional families to what are conventional ends, in the terms of avant-garde composers, that is, if not of Saturday night Prom audiences.

Sir Charles Groves conducted the Royal Liverpool Philhar-monic Orchestra in a brilliant account of this work by a Liverpool-born composer, and per-formance standards were high in the rest of the programme-I was particularly impressed by Ralph Kirshbaum's reading of the solo part in the Elgar cello concerto. Mr Kirshbaum played the work with an abundant variety of weight and colour and was reight and colour and colour and was reight and colour and colo colour, and yet without indulg-ing in sentimentality or easy opulence. Subtle as it was, his was a veritable montage of the cello's character.

A Rather Reassuring Programme ATV .

Stanley Reynolds

Viewers above a certain age must have been reminded, watching A Rather Reassuring Programme, of these long-ago early 1960s when staying at home on a Saturday night was not only a pleasure but also not only a pleasure, but also something of a duty because Ned Sherrin's That Was the Week That Was was on the telly. Memory, of course, does a service to TW3 and a disser-vice to Mr Sherrin's new ATV Saturday night satire show. Saturday night at home now in front of the box is a dreadful thing, and television, both BBC and ITV, has been rather rubbing our faces in it lately. So the urbane and witty Mr Sherrin's new irreverent satire is a

very much welcomed bit of relief. Mr Sherrin has, as he did with TW3, got the best comedy writers to script his new programme. His long-time collaborator, Miss Caryl Brahms, is back writing for him, along with the brilliantly idosyncratic, With the brillanity idosyncratic, Sherrin touch. If the N. F. Simpson, plus Keith let Mr Sherrin have Waterhouse, Willis Hall, Neil this new show looks! Shand, and Ian Davidson. The thing worth staying first show was entitled What's Saturday night to see.

Happened to Our Moral Fibre? and it was done in a documentary form. If most of the sketches seemed rather tame one suspects that the IBA, the one suspects that the IBA, the governing body of ITV, is a more timorous governor than the BBC was under the free and easy, and daring Sir. Hugh Carlton Greene, who gave ITV3 the nod. In fact, one has already heard stories of certain therethes done for future prosketches done for future programmes of A Rather Reassuring Programme running into Mary Whitehouse-ish sort of censorship.

This, however, is a good sign. It means that Mr Sherrin isdoing his satirical job, and that Monty Python and all the rest of the satirical shows which have come since TW3 have not created an absolute glut on the market. Authority apparently can still be shocked. And what is authority there for but to be shocked? Of Saturday's offerings in this new six-part half-hour series the sketch making fun of the once-iconoclastic Malcolm Muggeridge's new saintly image and the one treating Queen's Park Rangers FC and soccer generally as a religious phenomenon were perhaps the best echoes of the old Sherrin touch. If the IBA will let Mr Sherrin have his head, this new show looks like some-thing worth staying in on a

Purcell and Elgar Albert Hall/Radio 3

Paul Griffiths

Sunday's Prom programme was was of the sort that one would never hear in any other concert series. Two conductors and two groups of musicians changed places on the platform for performances of a Purcell contata and an Elgar symphony, a juxtaposition to emphasize how little of greatness was achieved in English music in the intervening two centuries.

The Purcell work was his hymn for St Cecilia's Day 1692, Hail, Bright Cecilia, and it was given a good straightforward performance under Nicholas Cleobury. Recognizing that it would be absurd to use authen-ric instruments in such an inauthentic hall, Mr Cleobury managed nevertheless to encourage lively and stylish playing from the modern resources of the ad hoc Purcell Orchestra. There was also clean choral

I wish there had been more for them to do and I wish too that Purcell had been more generous to the tenor soloist, the fine Ian Parrridge, on this occasion. James Bowman, as the

singing from the Cantorum of Oxford.

principal counter-tenor, had the most arduous solo part, and he was not in best form. His first number, "'Tis Nature's voice", was not the marvel it must have appeared at the first performance, when Purcell himself-formance, when Purcell himself-sang ir "with incredible graces", and it was not until near the end of the work that he was beginning to find stability throughout his voice. There was, however, excellent work from the other soloists, with Felicity Lott, a serene soprano, and David Thomas, a

pleasant, steady bass-baritone. The Elgar symphony, his second, was in the safe hands of Sir Adrian Boult and the BBC Symphony Orchestra. Others may have discovered different ways of playing Elgar, but Sir Adrian's remains magnificently impressive, and by no means lacking in passion.

Some of the notices on this page are reprinted from yesterday's later editions.

Brunelleschi and the great Dome of Florence them. According to

The anniversary of the birth of Rubens has rather oversha-dowed that of the Florentine architect and sculptor, Filippo Brunelleschi. The sheer space of time between Brunelleschi's age and our own is movingly brought home by a photograph in the documentary exhibition of his life and work at the Laurentian Library in Florence. It shows Brunelleschi's skeleton when his tomb was opened at the church of S. Reperata in 1972. The bones have all but crumbled into dust, but as you leave the exhibition by the balcony above the cloisters of San Larenzo the great Dome which Lorenzo the great Dome which Brunelieschi designed bulks reasuringly above the city.

"Who is so dult and jealous that he would not admire Filippo the architect, in the face of this gigantic building rising above the vaults of heaven, wide enough to receive in its shade all the people of. Tuscany, and built without the aid of any trusswork or mass of timber . ? " wrote Alberti. Who, indeed? It dominates the SUMMER EXHIBITION

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ree. city, visible from so many points. Sometimes only a segment of the dome glimps through a narrow street of wide-caved houses; or a sudden and surprising full view of its great red mammary as you emerge on to a balcony or look out of the window of a surprising the window of a surprising the window of a surprise the window of a surprise the surp museum. Perhaps the best view of all is from the Boboli gardens entering by the gate through the Pitti Palace (a SET HOUSE, Strand, W.C.2.

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60p. through the Pitti Palace (a building whose original conception is Brunelleschi's) and turning to look back across the city as one pauses for breath to climb the terraces. Huge and serene, it rides over the red-tiled roofs of the city like a great bell-buoy. (And what a choot in the heart is struck as chord in the heart is struck as the great bell in the Campanile sounds across the ruffled sea of roofs!) The Dome defies perspective (which Brunelles-chi "invented" or "discoered") and true to the optical principle of size-constancy appears even more enormous as it rises above the city. Try taking a snapshot from this point and you will be made disappointedly aware of how the eye approximates to way we know things should be, rather than the way they are seen in perspective by the eye of the camera.

One of the most remarkable things about the Dome is the way it is lifted about the main body of the cathedral upon a "tambour" or eight-sided drum of masonry, pierced with buge round windows. This was done largely for structural reasons, but visually it enormously enhances the effect of the Dome, which is raised high above the roofs of the city rather than appearing to rest

Vasari this was Brunelleschi's idea. Several twentieth-century art historians have questioned Vesari's account, arguing that the conception of the tambour predates Brunchleschi's involvement with the Dome, But some of the most recent research vindicates. Vasari's assertion that the solution adopted was Brunelleschi's. About the authorship of the

Done itself there is no doubt. BruneHeschi spent much time in Rome studying the uncovered ruins of antiquity. He looked long and hard at the dome of the Pentheon But Brunelleschi's Dome in Forence is a marrying of gothic and classical ideas in a form-which is unique in its combi-nation of grace and robustness. Technically it was an engineering achievement of extraordinary daring. For Brunelles-chi used no internal timbering or centring armature and no external scaffolding. The exact details of the structure are still not fully understood; but of the sheer brilliance of the design there is no dispute.

As well as the great dome of Santa Maria del Fiore. Brunel-Santa Maria del Fiore. Brunelleschi's hand is everywhere in
central Florence: the Ospedale
degli Innocenti, the Church of
San Lorenzo, the delightful
Pazzi Chapel at Santa Croce,
and perheps most beautiful of
all, the lovely church of Santo
Spirito in its bustling workaday piazza on the other side of
the Arno, Brunelleschi
designed only the original central part of the Palazzo Pitti, a
width of seven windows; but
its essential simplicity and eloquent robustness speaks of his quent robustness speaks of his conception. The attribution to Brunelieschi has sometimes been in question; but it is difficult to believe that it is not his work. None of Brunelleschi's draw-

ings has survived. In fact there

are no architectural drawings ar all which date back to the first half of the fifteenth cantury. The exhibition in the Priors and Drawings room of the Uffizi, Drawings of Brunel-leschi's Architectural Works, is made up of drawings and tracings by later artists and draughtsmen. These form a fascinoting visual description of the construction of the Florence. A new permanent room has just opened in the museum of the Duomo which displays the equipment designed and used by Brunel-leschi in the construction. But even more than with Wren, Brunelleschi's memorial is to be found by looking around the city he lived and worked in. Florence itself is the best exhibition of his mark.

The second best is the superb small show of his sculptures at the Bargello. The confrontation of the two maquettes made by Brunelleschi and Chiberti for the competition for the Esp-tistery gates (which are nor-melly to be seen together in the Escello) is sugmented by enother: the two wooden crucifixes by Brunelleschi and Donatelio. These usually bang in Santa Maria Novelio and Santa Croce and can be Santa, Croce and can be directly compared only through photographs. Also exhibited are early figures from the altar of Sant'lacopo in the Duomo at Pistoia and photographs of works in situ which could not be moved.

Vasari cells how Donatello ballenged Brunelleschi to make a wooden crucifix after be had sosulted his own ver-sion. ("You have placed a boor upon the cross.") And the story of how Donatello dropped the eggs out of his apron when he saw what Brunelleschi had produced has become a legend.
According to Vasari, Donatello
said: "You have represented
the Christ. Mime is a common

The story is probably apochryphal and told by Vasari to enhance Bruneileschi's reputation. In fact the crucifix ascribed to Brunelleschi is more medieval and expressionist in feeling than that ascribed to Donatello, which lies a classical quality and, far from depicting Christ as a common man, ennobles him. In his account Vasari tries to create the sense of an actual comparision between the two compension between the two sculptors. Florentine artists of the early fourteenth century were intensely competitive, and if the story is not hterally true it undoubted conveys the spirit of challenge that artists felt at the time in the city.

The maquettes for the doors of the Baptistery were made for a competition which was read enough. Here again Brunelleschi's conception is more medie-val. His relief is superbly dra-matic. He shows the angel rushing in and grabbing Abraham's arm as he is on the very point of cutting Isaac's throat. Ghiberti's engel stays Abraham's hand with a gesture which looks forward to Michel-Dome and the design of angelo's Sistine ceiling. There Brunelleschi's other works in is no physical contact between Plorence. A new permanent the two. Similarly Abraham's ned in the knife is pointed at Isaac's come which throat, it does not touch it as equipment in Brunelleschi's version. The space the figures occupy is more realistic and flowing. The angel zooms in from deep

Brumelleschi's defeat in the competition is held to have turned his attention from sculpture to architec-ture. There is no reason to disbelieve this. For he was a man who had to be first in what he did, not second. Many men would have been content to have produced works as superb as his maquette for the Baptistery doors, or the cruifix for Santa Maria Novella. He was furious that for many years Ghiberti was paid as co-architect on the Dome. But there is no doubt at all that the conception of that great architectual masterpiece was

It is common today in art history to argue that the dra-matic breaks with the past of the kind that Vasari liked to embellish with anecdote did not take place, to argue that the transition from the Middle Ages to the Renaissance was a much more gradual process. Clearly there is much truth in this, but the pendulum has swung too far in the other direction. In a fascinating recent analysis of Brunelleschi's structural achievements, Brunelleschi: Studies of his Technology and Inventions (MIT Press), Frank D. Prager and Gustina Scaglia uccur.

"It has been usual to say that
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Rilippo. Gustina Scaglia declare: Vasari overestimated Filippo, but it is possible that he did not estimate him highly enough. To us Filippo the architect appears as one of the

Filippo's and his alone.

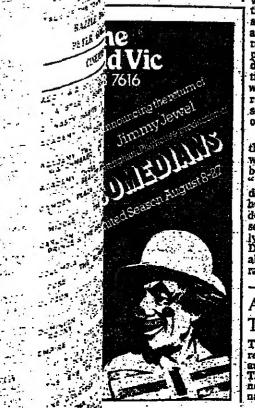
great developers of Gothic building, as the principal founder of the Renaissance, and also as an important forerun-ner of modern structural design and analysis". One cannot add to that.

Brunelleschi determined the direction in which architecture would go for the next 500 years. His influence is still felt today. The master of modern concrete vaulting, Pier Luigi Nervi, made a study and struc-tural survey of the Dome in the mid-Thirties—as a designer of supern interiors Brunelleschi was not surpassed even by Michelangelo.

The exhibition of documents relating to his life and work is appropriately shown in Michelangelo's great Laurentian Library, the conception of which owes so much to Brunelleschi's example. It continues to the end of the year; the exhibi-tions at the Uffizi and the Bar-gello until October 31. The International Conference on Brunelleschi Studies is from October 16 to October 22. An exhibition entitled Brunelleschi the anti-classicist runs from October 16 to January 31, 1978, in the refectory and cloisters of Santa Maria Novella, and another exhibition, The City and the Life of Florence in Brunelleschi's Time, from December 15 to March 15, 1978, at the Palazzo Medici-Ric-

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toire is completed by Old Movies, by Bill Bryden (August 5, 6, 8, 26, 27, 30 and 31), the late-night entertainment. The Camilla Ringbinder Show (11 pm on August 13, 19 and 20), and the London Theatre Group in Steven Berkhoff's adaptation



August at Cottesloe

Theatre

The National Theatre's August repertoire for its small

(opening on August 25), Barry Colkins's one-man play Judge-ment with Ben Kingsley (open-ing on August 11); and a visit of the English Stage Company in For the West he Michael in For the West by Michael

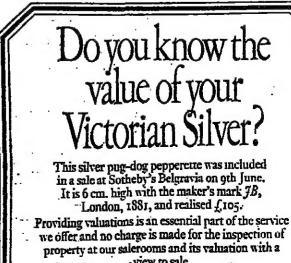
exhibition of his work.

the 1975 teachers' strike at the William Tyndale Junior School in Islington. (The previous plays of Shene Connaughton, a. NT actor, include George Davis Is Innocent OK and The Good repertoire for its small in For the West by Michael Is Information of Wapping—both and torium, the Cottesloe Hastings (opening on August Woman of Wapping—both staged at the Half Moon new play by Shane Con-Sir Is Winning is a Theatre—and I Do Liks To Bc, naughton, Sir Is Winning dramatized documentary about a NT Platform Performance.)

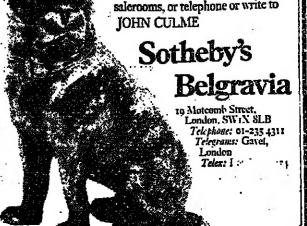
to it.

Barry Collins's one man play won high praise when it was first staged by the NT at the ICA in 1975 with Colin Blakely, directed by Peter Hall. The forthcoming revival of the play is directed by John Russell Brown.

of Kafka's Metamorphusis
The Cottesloe's August reper (August 1 and 2).



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Cricket

Boycott undergoes an examination set by Underwood

by idelact Streets of the FOLKESTONE: Yorkshire, with eight second innings wickets in hand, lead Kent by it runs. Kent and Yorkshire spent yesterday with their horns locked in grim combat on a pitch responsive to spin bowling. Yorkshire were 84 for two in their second innings when bad light and rain ended play half an hour early. Boycott and Hampshire at this point were having to utilize all their experience and skill to hold out.

their experience and skill to hold out.

Boycott has so far batted two hours and a half and had an enthralling clash with Underwood. Yorkshire lost Lumb at 71 when he was caught at mid-on forcing Julien off his legs and Love got a ball that lifted sharply.

Kent. earlier, had struggled themselves but were rescued by Eatham and Shepherd. These two shared an exciting stand of 109 for the eighth wicket in 17 overs. It was the highest stand in the game and might yet prove to be the decisive one. Eatham has seldom hit the ball except with the middle of the bat since the season started. He shared with Boycott the correctness, allied to determination, that was required on a slow turning pitch.

Shepherd pinned his faith in his eye but everyone else wavered between the started and the started and the started and the started between the started and the starte eye but everyone else wavered be-tween caution or unseemly haste in their distrust of the wicket. A

large crowd certainly enjoyed the extended duels. The older ones among them, however, must have speculated whether modern players are quicker on their guard when slow however. when slow bowlers are getting some help than their predecessors

some help than their predecessors used to be.

Not that Cope and Bore failed to respond splendidly to an extended chance they were given first thing. Apart from changing ends once, these two bowled together from the start until half past two. Each took three wickets before lunch and had the advantage that Bairstow was at his sharpest behind the stumps. Bairstow held three important catches, one as Asif pushed forward being especially good.

There was little improvement in tempo when Kent resumed, having made 41 for the loss of Chinton in the final 90 minutes on Saturday. Woolmer these days has eliminated most of the nearth/lities of the final 90 minutes on Saturday.

Woolmer these days has etiminated most of the possibilities of error without always being able to assert himself. Woolmer had been in two hours all told when he gave Bairstow his first catch.

When Tayaré lost patience with himself and mistimed a pull to mid-on, he had been in 23 overs for two runs. Kent were 61 for

three from 47 overs before Ealham arrived and his first eight
scoring strokes were boundaries.
It was not indiscriminate hitting,
either, but an awareness that the
occasional loose delivery could
still be punished.

Until Shepherd's arrival, nobody else shared Ealham's confidence. Kent had just acquired
their first bonus point in the
seventy-second over when Julien
was the seventh man out. Shepherd took Ealham as his mentor.
He began with two fours and cut
loose after lunch. Shepherd took
14 from one over by Cope, including a straight driven six,
and an over from Bore cost 19
runs, including another six for
Shepherd.

Possibly the two spin bowlers
were retined tool ong as the
eighth wicket paid added 83 in
their first 11 overs together.
Shepherd reached his 50 in 48
minutes. Stevenson replaced
Cope and Shepherd was dropped
by Hampshire at deep point from
a huge hit. It was Cooper who
broke the stand when he took
over from Bore.

Ealham aimed an exaggerated

broke the stand when he took over from Bore.

Eatham aimed an exaggerated pull to Cooper's third ball which was short and tempting and had his off stump knocked back. Eatham's 99 included 15 fours and lasted two hours 20 minutes. Shepherd's 63 included two sixes and nine fours. Shepherd ran himself out at the end trying to protect Jarvis, who broke a finger on his left hand in the Sunday game at Canterbury. Jarvis will miss Kent's next two matches.

Yoursanings; First mange, 236 (D. L. Bairstow 81).

5. Boycott, not out

R. G. Lamb, c Clinion, 5 Julies 32

J. D. Love, c Knott, b Underwood

J. H. Hampshire, not out

Extras (n-b 6)

Total (2 with)

E. Sharp, A. Shiebottom, † D. L.
strictow, G. B. Stevenson, H. P.
poper, G. A. Cope, M. E. Sore, to Cooper, G. A. Cope, M. A. Sciw, M. Ball of WKKETS: 1—71, 2—78, KENT: First Indiags.
R. A. Woodner, C. Beirstow, b. Cope.
G. S. Chinca, c. Love, b. Bers. 12
G. J. Tauars, c. Stevenson, b. Bers. 13
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G. J. E. Erikan, b. Cooper. 15
J. P. E. Khott, c. Bairstow, b. Cope. 15
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Bers. 15
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Warwickshire all out for 96 on drying Hove pitch

Before heavy rain ended play early, at Hove, Sussex had tumbled Warwickshire out for only S6 in their first innings to take a lead of 247. Warwickshire following on, were 67 for one at the Lancashire off spin bowler, and Eugh four wickets for 22, the close Lancashire had the close the bowling at a lively pace down the slope, making frequent deliveries rise sharply and only Whitehouse looked at all comfortable. He was too scorer with 24. Seven wickets fell during the morning for only fill in an ineffective betting dis-

61 in an ineffective batting dis-play, on a drying pitch. Three wickets fell as 88 and the last five went for the addition of lly eight ruus. When Warwickshire followed on, lucky escapes from chances offered to the close fieldsmen and Amiss was missed before he had scored and again when one. He was finally leg before to Grieg for 12 at 50. In between stoppages, the score moved on to 67, with Abberley getting his bead down to reach

Liverpool Notinghamshire were shot out for 225 by Lancashire on a rain affected wicket, where no play was possible before tea.

By the close Lancashire had replaied with 30 for no wicket off 17 overs.

Glamorgan needed only two days to beat Hampshire by nine wickets yesterday, with Tony Cordle and Alan Wilkins recording their best Alan Wilkins recording their best championship performances of the season. Cordle did the damage in the first innings with five for 48, when hampshire were all out for 133, and wilkins went through them in the second innings, with five for 58. Hampshire stumped to defeat without the services of Barry Richards, who batted in the first innings with the aid of a runner at number 11, and did not play in the second.

No play yesterday CHELTENHAM: Gloucestarehire, 197 (G. G. Arnold 6 for 24): Surrey, 33 for 2 (14 overs).

LANCASHIRE: First Innings D. Lloyd, not out ...
Extras (b 2, nb 2) ...

Total (no wkt. 17 overs) 50 H. Pilling, J. Abrahams, B. W. Reidy, D. P. Hughes, J. Sammons, J. Lyon, C. Cruft, W. Hogg, P. G. Leg to bat.

Bonus points (to date): Lencasitre
4. Nottinghamshire 2.
Umsires: R. Aspinell and R. D.
Bird.

Northants v Derbyshire

AT NORTHAMPTON
NORTHAMPTONSHIRE: Pirst Innings
157 (G, Miller 7 for 58).

DEREYSMIRE: First Linings
G. Wright, 1-bw. b Bedi
Hill, 1-bw. b Sarriar, b Bedi
Hill, 1-bw. b Sarriar, b Bedi
G. Brotton, Sarriar, b Bedi
G. Horrison, Sarriar, b Bedi
J. Harvey-Walker, at Sharp, b
Hushig
W. Swarbrook, not out
EMPASS (b 10, 1-b 5, n-b.1)

Total (7 wis, 109.1 overs) 255 FALL OF WICKETS: 1—68, 2—104, 5—135, 4—145, 5—181, 6—224, 7—225.

Hoans points (to date): Northamp-tonaintre 4. Derbyshire 6. Umpires: W. L. Budd and D. J. Constant.

Sussex v Warwickshire Hants v Glamorgan AT PORTSMOUTH
GLAMORGAN: First busings, 301 (J.
) by nine wickets, GLAMORGN: First Innings, 301 (J. Hopkins 51, M. J. Llewellyn, 56 of out).

SUBSEX V WATWICKSRIFE

SUBSEX: First Inches, 343 for 8
(J. R. T. Bancky 172: A. D. V. Knight
T1: D. J. Brown 4 for 74).

WARWICKSHIRE: First Inches
D. L. Amiss. c Briss. b Show. 18
R. N. Abbertey, c Long, b Sanw
4
J. Whitehouse, b Briss.
A. L. Kalkcharten, c Long, b 18
R. B. Kalkcharten, c Long, b 18
R. B. Kalkcharten, c Long, b 18
R. B. Kalkcharten, c Long, b 18
Greig R. Kumpage, c Long, b 13
Greig Brown, c Greig, b Boss. 13
R. H. D. Walle, b Greig, b Boss. 13
R. H. D. Walle, b Greig, b Boss. 13
R. H. D. Walle, b Greig, b Boss. 13
R. R. Sange, not out. 2 Socond Innings
A. Jones, run out
A. Hopkins, not out
A. Francis, not out
Extras (1-b 2) Greig Savage, not out Extras (1-5 4, 2-5 3) BOWLING: Rice. 3-0-20-0 Taylor. 2-1-5-0: Rock, 1-1-0-0: Pocock, 1-0-1-0. Total (34.1 overs) ... PALL OF WICKETS, 1-7, 2-28, 5-56, 6-80, 7-88, 8-88, 9-93.

Pocock, 1—0—1—0.

HAMPSHIRE: First Innings, U. Greenidge, 1-b-w, b Cordin J. Rock, 1-b-w, b Nash, C. Cowley, c King, b Nash, R. Stephenson, c Liewellyn, Cordin J. Lety, c Nash, b Cordin J. J. Pocock, c E. Jones, b ordin M. Rice, 1-b-w, b Cordin M. E. Roberts, b Nash W. Southern, b Nash W. Southern, b Nash W. Southern, b Nash A. Richards, not out 1 8-88, 9-93. BOWLING: Snow, 11-1-41-5; Greig, 11-4-22-4; Spencer, 8-4-15-1; Buss, 4.1-1-10-2. Second Innings
D. L. Ambs. 1-b-w, b Greig
R. N. Abberisy, not out
J. Whitehouse, not out
Extras (b 4, l-b 1, z-b 3) Total (1 wkt) . . . 67
FALL OF WICKET: 1 . 50
Bonus points (to date): Sussex 8.
Warwickshire 3. Julian and A. E. G.

Laucashire v Notts AT LIVERPOOL NOTTINGHAMSHIRE: First Linkings MOTTINGHAMSHIRE: First Inning
Hassaids, ibw, b Lee
D. Johnson b Bogg
W. Randall c Wood, b Hogs
E. Rice, b Hogs
H. J. Smedley: t Lyon, b
Hogsey
J. Hacker, not out
J. Hacker, not out
J. Hacker, not out
J. Hacker, c Lloyd, b Hughes
Taylor, c Lloyd, b Hughes
Taylor, c Lloyd, b Hughes
Extras (b 1, b 9, nb 23) Socond Innings
Greenidge b Wilkins
Rock c Francis b Corde
Cowley C E Jones b
Jesuy b Wilkins
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M. Rice, b Wilkins N. S. Taylor, c E. Jones, b vilkins
G. R. Stephenson, not out
M. E. Roberts, 1-b-w, b Nash
W. Southorn, b Nash
A. Richards, abject hurt
Extras (b 1, 1-b 2)

Total (50.1 overs) ...

Total 195
FALL OF WICKETS: 1-0, 2-4, 3
-64, 4-87, 5-94, 6-120, 7-144.
8-195, 9-195.
BOWLING: Nath. 9.4-2-56-2:
King. 14-5-34-0: Cordio, 11-1-44-2; Wilkins, 16-2-58-5.
Umpires: C. G. Popper and P. Rochford.

Leicester v Australians AT LEICESTER Match drawn AUSTRALIA: First innings, 229

'D. W. Hooks 59; P. Rooth 4 for
42. J. Bukenshaw 3 for 361.
Second Innings
R. B. McCosker, not out. 59
I. C. Davis, C Davison, 5 Illing-

G. S. Chappell, not out. Extras (b 4, 1-b 3, n-b 2) Total (1 wkt) ... 148
G. J. Cosler, D. W. Hookes, †R.
W. Marsh, R. J. Bright, M. H. M.
Walker, J. R. Thomson and G. Dymock did not bat.

did not bal.

FALL OF WICKETS: 1—120.

BOWLING: Booth. 6—0—15—0:

Taylor. 11—2—29—0: Shuttleyoff.

8—0.3—0: Bliderstone. 1—2—4—0; filing
O: Balderstone. 1—2—4—0; filing-

Other match SWANSEA: Wales 165 (5, C. Coriett 4 for 42) and 72 for 1; Ireland 181 (B. A. O'Brien 72; D. Sinde 5 for 67).

Acfield larks about like a lamb

LORD'S: Middlesex, with five first innings wickets in hand, lead Essex by 28 runs. Essex by 28 runs.

The most agreeable spectacle yesterday was of David Acfield, marconed in pelting rain at the Nursery End, gamboiling off the field with all the gay abandon (if the expression is still appropriate) of a spring lamb. It was the fourth shower, one fortuitously coinciding with the lunch interval, and no doubt Acfield felt the customers deserved something to lift their spirits. Only 200 minutes' play was possible, during which time 61 overs were bowied by Essex and 158 runs scored by Middlesex.

The cricket between the showers

A Sydney

second match between Australia and a rest of the world or West Indies eleven at the Sydney Cricket Ground from December

16-20, There is considerable speculation that Mr Packer will use the adjoining Sydney Showground, but the surface is bad because of buck-

the surface is had because of buckjumping and heavy industry displays. The vasiness of the showground also means that the
players would be far from the
spectators detracting from the
spectators detracting from the
ground's atmosphere. Likewise it
is feared the players could suffer
injury on the undulating and difficult surface.

The Brisbane Cricket Ground
Trust has also refused to come to

By John Woodcock Cricket Correspondent

In the 68 years of its existence, first as the Imperial Cricket Conference and since 1965 as the International Cricket Conference, the

game's ruling body has never held a more momentous meeting than

that at Lord's today. Such prob-lems as throwing and the Bw law, even bodyline, have a rela-tively harmless ring about them when compared with Kerry Packer's attempt to run his own

series which could affect the game's established order. Thioteen years ago Arnold

game's established order.

Thirteen years ago Arnold Palmer, the great American golfer and then at the height of his powers, was invited by the Music Corporation of America to set up a tour of the 30 best golfers in the world. There were to be 20 tournaments, all of them televised, with guarantees to the players of an annual income.

vised, with guarantees to the players of an annual income, of profit sharing, insurance policies and pensions, and of prizemoney to exceed the purses of the day. Palmer declined "out of loyalty to the Professional Golfers Association and in the interests of the same, younger players."

ciation and in the interests of the game's younger players".

Cricket has been less fortunate, in Tony Greig and Greg Chappell, captains respectively of England and Australia, Mr Packer found the men he was looking for to help him in promoting a business enterprise which has much less to do with the welfare of cricket than with personal gain. The 52 cricketers signed by Mr Packer or his associates (who include Ian Chappell and Richie Benaud) have become, wittingly or otherwise, highly paid mercenaries in a commercial encounter.

highly paid mercenaries in a com-mercial encounter.

If the way they were recruited was distastefull, the Packer players have done nothing that they were not perfectly entitled to do. That some were carried away by the talk of high finance, without being made fully aware of the possible repercussions, is the responsibility, to some extent at any rate, of those who did the talking.

talking.

For various reasons the Packer

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for various reasons the Packer carcus " seems doomed to failure, centainly as a worthwhite furn of cricket. That his interest in cricket is only incidental is shown by his admission that if he were to get the exclusive television rights for Test matches in Australia he would no longer want to put his show on the road. Having rejected the imprimitur of the ICC, and by doing so turned down the offer of first class status and the use of the great Australian grounds, Mr Packer is committed now to staging his already artificial series in substantially artificial conditions.

artificial conditions.

rebuff

Perhaps something was amiss in the Lord's kimben, for Barlow took leave of his senses and the wicket the first ball after the Middlesex.

The cricket between the showers was undistinguished, by no means characteristic of the county champions, standing once more at the head of the parade. On a pitch of doubtful character, Middlesex advanced from 68 for no wicket to 154 for two in the two and times quarter hours before kunch, and to 226 for five when the last ball, as it turned out, was bowled just before half past tiree.

Essex struck an early blow by where the first ball area the interval. He pushed Turner to short mid-off, set off for a run when none existed, and was still fur from home when the bowler threw his wicket down. Two overs later, at 165, Radley nicked a ball from Turner into his strume. past three.

Essex struck an early blow by removing Michael Smith, caught by his opposing captain off Turner with only seven runs added to Saturday's 63 for no wicket, but thereafter they were unable to exploit a pitch of doubt-

fol character. We must not be uncharitable towards such an inexperienced player as Ross, but from Saturday evening he had more than his fair share of litch in reaching his shalf century. All told, according to those who were at Lord's on Saturday as well as yesterday, he gave four possible chances. There was, however, no element of chance when he was finally out in the fifty-ninth over. He lifted East (slow left arm) comfortably into the hands of Acfield at mid-off. Rafley joined Barlow and, by dint of a succession of singles, advanced the score to 154 for two off 68 overs at lunch. A straight drive off East to the Nursery boundary, however, was of authentic pedigree, but before he was able to develop an innings, the rains came again—and yet again. The covers were still on when the umpires were inspecting the pitch after tea, but they resisted a heart-felt appeal to get em off. Before the covers tould be got off, the clouds gathered again, and that was that easter. First innings, 1986 W. K.

ships.
The rain during lunch had freshened the pinch and East surrendered the Nursery End to a seam bowler, Lever, lately of England. Between the showers Featherstone hooked Turner to the Tavern boundary twice in one over and, with Gatting driving Lever straight for four, Middleser were able to claim their third Umpires: W. E. Alley and D. Sans Hue.

Fost, 60; E. M. Simey 5 for 011.

MIDDLESEE: First, humans

M. J. Sgribi, c Fistcher, b

N. P. D. Ross, c Acticle, b, Ess;
C. D. Bariow, run out

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M. W. Bariong, c Demness, b East

N. G. Featherstone, not out

Extrus (1-b 10, b.9) Total (5 wkis: 87.5 overs) 226 N. Shark. 1. J. Gould, J. E. Emburg, and W. W. Daniel to St. Fall. OF WE'KETS: 1—75. 2—146. S—164. 4—165.

Result may have to depend on a declaration

TAUNTON: Somerset, with eight second innings wickets in hand, are 57 runs ahead of Worcester-shire. Sydney, July 25.—The Australian television magnate, Kerry Packer, today had a scrious rebuiff when he was informed that he would not be able to use the Sydney Cricket Ground this summer for his matches. The Sydney Cricket Ground Trust held a special meeting this morning and later the trust chairman, Pat Hills, said that the trust considered it had a responsibility to support the New South Wales Cricket Association. Mr Hills said the trust had made its decision regretfally but it had long-term commitments to the New South Wales Cricket Association.

Mr Packer intended staging his second match between Australia On Saturday, Somerset had scored 351 for seven, with centuries from Rose, one of their best younger batsmen, and Kitchen, one of their best older batsmen. Worcestershire had scored 76 for no wicket in reply. There was a good deal of rain over the weekend, which might have changed the character of the pitch, but has

By Alan Gibson

not, so far.

It remained a credit (at least, that is what you would say if you were a batsman) to Cecil Buttle, and his successors, and for that matter, his predecessors, who rolled and mowed and mammed the rich Somerset soil so persistently. The wetness did, however, delay the start, and it was a quarter to six by the time the Worcestershire lumings was concluded, their 100 overs up, at 337 for four. not, so far.

So it was not a very exciting day's cricket and, although the pitch will probably—and properly help the bowlers a bit as the match goes on, the result will, I expect, depend on a declaration. The loss of a couple of wickets by Somerset in the evening was due, more to the rashness than difficulty. difficulty. Against that, Worcestershire

The Brisbane Cricket Ground Trust has also refused to come to the aid of the party and has deferred a decision on an application by Mr Packer to play his first match at the Brisbane Cricket Ground from December 2-6. At this stage the only major ground Mr Packer has is the Victoria Football Ground in Adelaide, but it does not have a cricket wicket. Mr Packer has employed a former Brisbane Cricket Ground curacor, John Maley, to prepare turi wickets in long concrete troughs, a radical step Mr Packer's series with the Australia-India tests in brackets are first match, December 2-6 in Melbourne (first Test December 2-7 in Brisbane), second match December 16-20 in Sydney (second Against that, Worcestershire have, in their caprain, the one high quality spinner in the match. Marks was presumably intended to do the job for Somerset, as he was placed at number nine in the batting order, and asked to bowi 24 overs, a curious requirement from a young man who is a fine batsman and a tolerable fourth change bowler. At least, that is my present view, though I have learnt to respect the decisions of Close, even if they seem, at the time, to be taken on the planet Mars.

The first Worcestershire wicket Mars.

The first Worcestershire wicket

fell at 152. Ormrod should have
been caught early in the day.

Somerset didnot field very well,
generally. All those Worcestershire bairse baismen who were needed
reached double figures, four of
them passing 50. Turner's was the
best immings, Hemsley's the most
unwavering at a time which might
have been awkward, D'Olivera's
the most romantic.

Everyone, even in the cider test

2-7 in Brisbanel, second match December 16-20 in Sydney (second Test December 16-21 in Pertit), third match December 30-January 3 in Adelaide (third Test December 30-January 4 in Melbourne), fourth match January 13-17 in Melbourne (fourth Test January 7-12 in Sydney), fifth match January 27-31 in Perth (fifth Test January 28-February 2 in Adelaide), sixth match February 9-13. Venue to be arranged.—Agence Everyone, even in the cider tent-in Somerset, rejoices to see D'Oliveira scoring runs, and speculates on its age, and has another round on the bets. It is, Venue to be arranged.—Agence France-Presse.

JOHN WOODCOCK comments on today's important meeting at Lord's

ICC must show united front

Rather than touring with England in the coming winter, Greig, Knott, Underwood and Amiss will be playing on portable pitches sank, like coffins, into footbell grounds, for the benefit of a television andsence. The motivation is many and ware

motivation is money, and more money, and more money, and more money still. To hell with Pakistan, to hell with England, to hell with Australia, to hell with Test cricket (which is what subsidizes most other forms of cricket) is what the forms of cricket is what the forms of cricket is what the forms of cricket is what the

Englishmen, the Australians and

the Falcistanis mean when they say, as Asif Ighal did last week, that they will be playing for Mr-Packer this winter radier than for their countries.

So what is to be done about it?

It may be taken that the ICC will show a united front. Those at today's meeting wall remember the-

spirit which has consistently pre-vailed at its debates. H. S. Altham once wrote of the ICC:

"Inevitable there have been differences of domestic augle, and outspoken expressions of opposing views, but always underlying them there has been a simpleness of

basic purpose, the welfare of cricket, and a feeling of essential

unity, strengthened by many personal friendships, and tested and cemented over the passing

Those "differences of domestic angle" will feature today

Those "differences of domestic angle" will feature today. Australia are set upon banning any of their players who give priority to Mr Packer from all forms of official cricket, from club to Test level. India, Pakistan and New Zealand may be expected to support that line; so, quite possibly, will England.

Because of Mr Packer, Australia face the prospect of building

face the prospect of building almost an entirely new team. Of their 16 players now touring England all but four, as things stand at the moment, will be un-

available for the series due to start in Brisbane in December be-

tween Australia and India. India will welcome this (or the fact that four of their Test dates clash with

Packer matches) no more than New Zealand in the new year will be glad to receive an England side without four leading players.

side without four leading players.

West Indies are in a marginally different position. Although all their present Test side will be in Australia with Mr Packer, they should be back in West Indies in time for the opening of the Shell Shield season in January and for the scheduled Test series between West Indies and Australia starting in February. It is as an insurance against the time when they, too, need their players for a tour of their own, that West Indies must adopt the hard line.

may I say, without wishing to give offence to anybody, a remark-able thing that the most popular of England cricketers is what we used to call a "Cape Coloured". It might even make you think It might even make you think that the Empire was not a total waste of time.

Worcestershire scored seven points on the first innings, to Somerser's five. There was a good crowd for a chilly Taumon Monday, encouraged by their side's effort in the championship, and elated by the choice of Botham for England. Botham took two wickets, and so did Gurr. wickets, and so did Gurr.

SOMERSET: First Innings, 351 with dec (B. C. Rose 128, M. Itchen 129) tchen 1291
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C. Rose. - Royns, b Holder
W. Denning, B Gifford
V. A. Richards, not out
Fitzlen, not out
Extras (1-5 1, n-5 3)

Total (2 wats)
I. T. Botham. D. B. Clobe, G. I.
Burgess, J.D. J. S. Taylor, V. I.
Marks, C. H. Dredge and D. R. Gerrico bat. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-25, 2-25. WORCESTERSHIRE: First innings
G. M. Turner, c. Close, b Curr. S.
J. A. Ormrod, c. and b Gerr. S.
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Umpires P. B. Wight and B. J. Meyer.

Today's cricket COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

MINOR COUNTIES COMPETITION DUNSTABLE: Bedfordshire v Strop

South Africa are likely to fall in with whatever the Conference decides, though they are not at present a member country and will not be represented today. There heing no Test cricket for South Africa's leading players there is obviously more justification for their going to Australia to prospect. As a posible market for his product Mr Packer may well have his eye on South Africa. With the support of the South African Cricket Association he could take an all-Australian side there, to avoid political interference, and

avoid political interference, and provide the South African public with a series of matches complete with all the trappings.

What will be spelt out today to

cricketers everywhere is that their

cricketers everywhere is that their choice lies between playing for their countries. Loopholes will be left for any who wish at the last moment to escape the Packer clutches. Those who stand by him, as some will want to do and others will feel obliged to do, will disqualify themselves from Test cricket, if not forever at any rate for a minimum number of years. Whether, in the case of the Englishmen involved, they will rule themselves out of county cricket as well, is not for the ICC to decide. So long as the Packer show exists (or that of any, other entrepreneur in opposition to Test cricket) there will be un-

other entrepreneur in opposition to Test cricket) there will be un-rest in the game, however disen-

rest in the game, however disen-chanting an experience playing for "the circus" proves to be. I give it, as I say, no future. The pros-pect is too implausible for that. It must, nevertheless, be actively opposed. In years to come the game could be the stronger for this trauma. Yesterday's cricketers will be only memories; tomorrow's may be the better for having been brought on

memories; tomorrow's may be the better for having been brought on earlier than they otherwise might have been. For the top players the game is already the means to a first-rate living. Few of them make less than £12,000 a year; Greig, even before he joined Packer made nearer £100,000. Thomson is a dollar millionaire. Progressively more is being and will be done for those at every level, partly due to Mr Packer's intervention.

level, partly due to Mr Packer's intervention.

Contracts will become more comprehensive. In signing for Mr Packer, whose own contracts are significantly unavailable, there could well be county players who have breached their existing contracts. This is something for the Player's Association to help with.

Players' Association to help with, the authority which concerns itself with the first-class cricketers' lot and whose opposition to Mr Packer and his associates has

Rugby Union

Confident Lions lick their wounds in New Zealand holiday resort

Wattangi, New Zealand, July 25.

The British Lious' selections will be keeping their fingers crossed that Terry Cobner and Bryamor Williams will be fit for Saturday's crucial fided Rugby Union international spains the New Zealand All Riacks at Dunedin.

Cobser left hospital at the week-end after having the poison drained from his infected leg and will join the team for training in Dimedia on Wednesday, Williams, like Cobner, stayed in Auckland ilike Cohner, stayed in Auckland for treatment to a hamstring injury and also hopes to be in full training by inidweek. Gibson, Squires and Clive Williams have also been receiving treatment while the rest of the players quietly relaxed in fins holiday resort, free from the cares and pressures of rugby for a comple of days. Wet weather prevented them from sightseeing today. The ream is due to be named tomorrow and the Lions will have a training spell during the afternoon.

The decision by the New Zealand

The decision by the New Zealand The decision by the New Zealand selectors to drop Sid Going, Colin Farrell, Mark Taylor, Brad Johnstone and Kevin Eveleigh has further encouraged the British Isles ream to believe they can take a 2-1 lead in the four-match series. The All Blacks won the opening international 15-12, but the Lions responded bravely in the second with a 13-9 victory.

They were in full cry against the powerful Auckland team last Samrday, playing their best rugby of the tour in a convincing 34—15 win. Morale is sky high, boosted by the apparent uncertainty in the New Zealand camp. David Millar, who referred the Auckland match, will be the charge of the third. will be in charge of the

Sid Going: his omission from New Zealand's team for t third international is good news for the Lions.

Toulouse, July 24.—South mer French captain, Wal-Africa's International No 8, Spanghero, who is retiring 7 Dugald MacDonald is to play for club's pack will be first the French Rugby Union club, strengthened by Nigel Roman for Stade Toulousian, next season.

MacDonald will replace the for French Captain, Wall Spanghero, who is retiring 7 to 10 pack will be first strengthened by Nigel Roman for Spreader. — Agence France Presse.

Football

Macdonald and Hudson sent home after trouble

Malcolm Macdonald and Alan to Australia the English club com-Hudson, of Arsenal, were on their way home from Australia yesterway home from Australia yesterday after being in trouble there.
A statement from the club said:
"As a result of disciplinary action
Malcolm Macdonald and Alan
Hudson are being sent home today
from the Far East tour." Arsenal
are in Adelaide.
Macdonald scored in his club's
3—2 defeat by Celtic in a fourclub marter.

He actied that Richle Powling and John Matthews would be the probable replacements for Macdonald and Hudson in the team to

3-2 defeat by Ceitic in a four-club tournament in Sydney at the weekend. Arsenal had cariler lost to the Ansmalian national team. They are due to play Red Star, Belgrade today. Before moving on

Maddocks denies reports of rift with players

The Australian team manager, Len Maddocks, yesterchy desiled suggestions published in national newspapers that there was a rift between himself and his players. He said reports that the wicket CHELTENRAM: Gloncesterables v
Survey (11.0 to 5.30 or 6.0)
FOLKESTONE: Kent v Yorkshire (11.0
10 5.50 or 6.0)
LIVERPOOL: Lancashirs v Mottanham conjecture" and completely un-

> Mr Maddocks said the whole party had exchanged frank formances and discipline at a m ing in their hotel. But no physical threats had been made against auyons. He added that he and Marsh had differed in their points of view, but they were close friends and would remain so.

He described a national newspaper report which suggested that Walker was also alleged to have threatened him as " riddled with inscouracies ".

Orient play twice at Fulham

Orient will play both legs of their League Cup first round de against Fulham away. Their Brisbane Road pitch has undergone repairs during the summer and will not be ready until August 23. when they play Blackpool in a second division game. Orient's three group matches in the Anglo-Scottish Cup, against Fulham, Norwich City and Chel-sea, early next month, will all be played away.

Walsh signs contract Michael Walsh, the Blackpool striker, whose future with the club has been in the balance, has

Towers for Birmingham

signed a new three-year contract. The rest of the playing staff have

Channon costs to Australia the English Club.competed unsuccessfully in a tournament in Slugapore, which also involved Celtic and Reil Star.
In Adelaide Terry Neill said
that the two English internationals
were being sent home as disciplicary action for an incident during the tour. He would not
elaborate, saying it was purely a
club marter.

Michael Chemion signed Manchester Chy yesterday for club record fee of £300,000. England and Southampion sull England and Southampton sink who is 28, rejected a £50,000 year offer from Bordeaux, accepted the English club's log salary in order to stay in domer football. Everton 250 made a bid for him. Tony Book the light chester City manager, had be negotiating for Champon for seen the had to step up his originative they missed by one pointly year could be gained by the clusion of their new strike, designed Champon said. "I not predicting anything but it

not predicting anything but to class players City have must them in with a great chance the top honours.
"I am pleased that everythe is settled and my future is rust out." Channon has signed in its to play for his new club in re Uefa Cup and to travel with steam next week on a rour of herberlands.

erherlands. He has made arrangements his farm and business inten-in Hamoshire to be looked by his brother. He is moving Manchester, where he hopes, end his playing career. His a mediate first priority is how hunting hunting. Mr Book said : "He has all t qualities we're looking for. land. That speaks for axel. Eve Innd. That speaks for axell. Eve-time we go for a player we in-for class and, with Liverpu, losing Keegan, I feel that Mike-inclusion can in the scales in of favour and make all the differen to winning the championship." Peter Swales, the club class man, said: "It does not mean a can guarantee success; but it for mean we're myling appears with

Birmingham City yesterday signed the Sunderland midfield player, Tony Towers, for £140,000. Maine Road."

Sweden retain epee title in final event

Fencing

Buenos Aires, July 25.— Sweden won the men's team épée gold medal, after beating Switzer-iand, 9.—4, in the last event of the thirty-third world fencing championship here.

The powerful Swedish team, winners in the past four world championships, had a shaky start in last night's final. The Swiss team (Patrice Gaille, Baniel Giger, Francois Suchanecki, Christian Kapter and Jean Evequoz) took a 4—2 lead in the early stages. championship here.

Evequox) took a 4—2 lead in the early stages.

Then the Swedes (Johan Harmenberg, Rolf Edling, Hans Jacobson, Goran Flodstrom and Leif Hogstrom) started an uninterrupted run of wins. Edling and Jocbson ended unbeaten, and the 23-year-old Harmenberg, who won the individual épée gold medal a week ago had two victories and two defeats. The entire Swedish team, was in top form.

The Swiss started the day by

tories and two defeats. The entire Swedish team was in top form.

The Swiss started tie day by beating France, 9—4, in the eliminating round and then had an exhausting match with Hungary, which they won 8—7 after more than two hours of fencing. Sweden knocked out West Germany, 9—2, and then beat the Soviet Union, 8—2.

But the Soviet Union finished third in the épée by beating the tired Hungarians, 8—4, and added a bronze medal to their collection, which included four gold, two shiver and another bronze medal. They headed the medals list, followed by Sweden, West Germany, Italy and Hungary with three each.

The world fencing championship at the Buenos Aires Municipal Centre was formally closed last night, after nine days of competitions. The thirty-fourth world championship will take place in Hamburg in 1978.

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Royats 1: California Angels 4; Seattle
Mariners 0; California Angels 4; Seattle
Mariners 5;

Oosterhuis finishes second in Canadian Open

Oakvilie, Canada, July 25.— Peter Oosterbus, of Britain, can smile spain after finishing second to Lee Trevino, of the United States, in the Canadian Open championship which ended here resterday. Oosterhuis came through from lifth place to take the second prize of \$25,650 (nearly £15,000). His final rotal was 284, four under per and four strokes more than Trevino. This was Trevino's first success for more than a year. He scored a final round of 74 to win his second Canadian Open championship, his 20th PGA victory.

Octorinus, who has yet to win the RE PGA totar came from eight Octorinis, who has yet to winon the PGA tour, came from eight
strokes behind to finish second.
He lopped three strokes from par
on the front nine and wenn over
par once on the tough back nine
to finish with a 70.

Oosterbuis said: "I don't know
whether I had it in my mind to
catch him. I had a chance to
finish eight under, but I just

Golf Mrs Uzielli tries for eighth

title this year Angela Uzielli will aim for her eighth title of the year in the Newmark women's international eighth title of the year in the Newmark women's international golf tournament, which begins at Woodhall. Spa today. She is favourite to win this 54-hole event, despite strong opposition. The 37-year-old Berkshire housewife has been in magnificent form all season. She won the British championship at Hillside a few weeks ago. She has also represented England in the European team championship.

Mrs Ustelli can expect her toughest challenge to come from Vanessa Marvin, the young English champion, the Welsh title holder, Tegwen Perkins, and another Curtis Cup player, Dinah Henson. Also in contention may be Maxine Burton, Helen Latham and Janet Melville, all fresh from representing England in the European funior Championships in Luxembourg last weekend.

The professional representation in the 46-strong field has been depleted by the withdrawal of Vivien Saunders. After 18 troles today there will be two rounds tourorrow.

Rugby Union MOSCOW: Soviet Union under 21. XV 7, St. Mary's College, Dublit 25, played each shot as it came sion I just played with much bet concentration than I've had think we've all forgotten how got he (Trevino) really is." Tom Kite, who at one pol closed to within three strokes; the lead with birdies on the life the lead with birdies on the lift two holes, recorded a final road of 73 to finish in third plac. Nicklaus, the course's archite finished in a tie for fourth will five other players. Hoping mount a charge, Nicklaus start poorly, going over par at the fin second and fourth holes. Start ing the back nine three-mider plant seven strokes behind Treitif. and seven strokes behind Trevix Nicklaus ran into putting troub

Rugby League Westhead ban to be lifted from August 1 Westnead, the Huyton lost forward, who was suspende indefinitely in November. 157 will have his suspension liftle from Angust 1, the Rugby Leach announced yesterday, Westness was barned for manhandling it Wakefield referee, Ronald Moore Pinner. (Sr. Heleins) and falls Gwilliam (Warrington) who was sent off in the premiership fins in May have been suspended 50 two matches.

The League have asked Hudders field to reconsider the fee of \$12,000 placed on Michael Shop herd, their scrum half, wine was put on the transfer list at his own request. Shepherd has played only one full season for the club.

CHASKA, MINNESOTA: United Suns Womon's Open: 252. H. Sincy. 73 73. 73. 74. 284. N. M. Loyo. 73 75. 75. 74. 286. J. Carner, 74. 75 76. 75. 278. A. Aicut. 72. 77. 78. 74. P. Bradley. 77. 72. 79. 70. 71. Sephoneus (Australa). 72. 75. 70. 72. 77. 500. D. C. Young. 76. 77. 77. 70. 501. J. Hirock. 77. 87. 78. 79. 79. 70. 70. 70. 71. J. Rentin. 79. 79. 70. 70. 70. 70. 70. 70. 71. 72. 78. Other scores 510. S. Bertsland. 73. 78. Other scores 510. S. Bertsland.

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from his unforgettable at Ascot on Saturday Piggott looks poised to loodwood's annual five-day on a high note by winning of group races this after-the Molecomb Stakes and rdon Stakes and rdon Stakes. Amaranda's repuit Grove. Amaranda's repusition would be a such that it was set one time that she might have most of the opposition and occurs of the opposition and occurs it is not happened because it wratly felt that there is no the in finishing second to wratge's flying filly and place in a race like the mb is more rewarding than it is small race elsewhere.

We find Amaranda opposed the find Amaranda opposed after two-year-old fillies, other two-year-old fillies, by whom can exactly be ted as a slowcoach. It make for a pretty spectifier come whipping down and up the straight. Have a Amaranda win her first York by five lengths and hary the Oueon Mary

York by five lengths and er next, the Queen Mary at Royal Ascot, by three, it difficult to believe that it be caught this afternoon lough she must give weight all round. ckler for times, Wragg said of that Amaranda was the thing that he had seen on the seen on the seen of that the had seen on the seen of that the had seen on the seen of the s

It is a deceptive rider and id be interesting to know r he could have increased argin and by how much. I feeling that he could have increased in the season of the could have he was bent on giving her issest race possible. The idli looks pretty formidable the runner-up, Noiritza, ome out and won the lengths since then, while with, Petty Porse, has won itar Stakes on the same

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y Purse is one of those on Amaranda this after-Since she won the Star she has been besten a little length by the northern filly, adella, in the Rornblosser at Ripon and, judged on form, there should be little con them this afternoon as strive to pick up the scrape liaranda's wake.
ough Azucena whom they
outh bearen this season, Silk

has no earthly chance of ng Amaranda either and I it that the best bet to finish is John Dunlop's fifty who has won her last three the most recent being at wn Park last Thursday. I that Hatta had beaten Love by five lengths at that Hatta had beause Love by five lengths at jott's second good ride this oon will be on the Derby 1-up, Hot Grove, in the a Stakes. This also promises a fascinating affair because

odwood programme

TUNDLE HANDICAP (£2,078: 11m)

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The Ministrel to a neck whereas Lucky Sovereign was beaten a length and a half by the same horse on The-Curragh. That all points to Hot Grove winning this

afternoon, but it may not be so cut and dried as that.

This will be Hot Grove's first race since the Berby—his first for almost two months in fact—and Lucky. Lucky Sovereign could be the sharper. However, Hot Grove went well enough in a gallop on the racecourse at Newbury 11 days ago to suggest that he will be fit to do both himself and his supporters justice today and he is my to an ooth miniser and his sup-porters justice today and he is my selection.

Neither Limone nor Taily ought

selection.

Neither Limone nor Tully ough!

to be good enough to prouble the
two principals. In fact, Limone
finished well behind The Minstrel
and Lucky Sovereign in the Irish
Derby. At Ascot, Tully was beaten
firee and a half lengths by Classic
Example, who went on to finish
third in the Irish Derby, Pollerton,
the only other runner, is an unknown quantity racing over a mile
and a half for he has never been
tried over more than a mile in
public before. At his best he is a
useful colt, but hardly useful
enough, I suggest, to beat two
horses who have already been
placed in classics.

Otherwise the main feature
today is that annual lontery the
Stewards Cup, which is being
sponsored by Spillers for the
eighth time. In addition to putting
up £10,000 towards the prize and
to presenting a challenge trophy
to the owner of the winner,
\$\frac{5}{2}\text{illers} are also giving a £500
prize to the breeder of the
winner. In my opinion the whole
lot may go to Mr E. A. Badger,
the owner and breeder of
Calibina.

In selecting this five-year-old

Calibina.

In selecting this five-year-old mare, who has already won the Wokingham Stakes at Royal Ascotthis season, I am acutely aware of the fact that no horse has ever won the Wokingham Stakes and the Stewards Cup in the same season. Yet there is ground for thinking that Calibina could be the first to pull off this difficult sprint double,

sprint double.

Yesterday her trainer, Paul Cole, told me that Calibina had still not come in her coat at Ascot and was not quite right in his opinion there; yet she managed to win the Wokingham Stakes all the same and do a very good time in the process.

But now I am convinced that she is 100 per cent right. She is extremely well: she will love the fast ground and I think that she is guaranteed to be bang there at the finish", Cole said.

One could hardly wish for a more encouraging bulletin than that. Cole is pleased with Calibina's draw and he singles out the two three-year-olds, Metair and Daring March, as those he fears most. Add to them the names of Casino Boy, who did not then the tears most. Add to them the

last race at Newbury.

Cole is also launching a raid on Redcar this afternoon. He thinks that he has an excellent chance of winning the Hornieigh Handicap with Dame Clara, who beat Crimson Silk at Kempton recently, and I think that his nippy two-year-old, Maid in Hand, will be hard to catch in the South Gare Stakes. However, Ski Shop, Cole's third runner at Redcar, may not be capable of beating Young Pipfears most. Add to them the names of Casino Boy, who did not run up to expectations at Royal Ascot; last year's winner, Jimmy the Singer, who seems to be gradually running in to form: Sealed Brief; Epsom Imp; ladianirs and Ribosa and you could have the hard core of Calibina's opposition.

I certainly share Cole's opinion that Metair will be a hard nut to crack. On a line through Rings, she appears to have the heating of Daring March, but set 13lb

Level Par. The stewards cautioned Baxter and Duffield, but accepted Lowe's explanation.

The four horses jog trotted the first 50 yards, after which Bicasdale spurted Level Par 12 lrugths clear and held off Andy Rew by a length and a half at the finish. The Stewards cautioned Baxter (Andy Rew) and Duffield (Abercaia) for "injudicious riding" but accepted Lowe's explanation that his mount, Kithairon, was "never going right". could be just too much for a three-year-old to carry and win, even for a filly who was given as much as 8st 6lb in the Free Handicap, Metair will be meeting Calibina on 16 pounds werse terms than is laid down in the weight for age scale and the concession of weight may well be just beyond her this afternoon.

My colleague, Michael Saaly beyond her this afternoon.

My colleague, Michael Seely, who funcies himself as a bit of a handicap specialist insists that I put in a good word for indianira as well. The Easterby representative could, he said, turn this race into a procession, but I still prefer Calibina whose Ascot form looks all the better now that both Kintore and Crimson silk have won in the meantime. They finished third and fourth in the Wokingham. Cole diso funcies his chance of winning the New Ham Stakes with John de Coombe who looked so unlucky nor to win his last race at Newbury.

Cole is also launching a raid. All of which did not detrac from the excellence of Bleasdale

from the excellence of Bleasdale, who was celebrating a first ride for the Ayr trainer, Nigel Angus, with the biggest win of his short career. The 20-year-old formerspille hids' boxing champion was told by Angus: "Don't disappoint Level Par, and, if he wants to go on, let him." Angus, who also owns the winner, said: "Ideally, Level Par is better coming from behind."

This £3,459 win marks, it is hoped, the end of a long Jean spell for the Scottish trainer, whose stable has been badly affected by the virus. Angus managed only two winners on the recent Scottish July circuit.

Ernie Johnson is closing on his best total of 79 winners. A best total of 79 winners. A double with Manking and Kilroy Valuer took his score to 63.

Geoffrey Bexter, George Duffield and John Lowe were in trouble at Newcastis yesterday after Jamy Bleasdale had won the Harry Pescock Handicap on

At Goodwood today Hot Grove (right) has his first appearance since this classic struggle with The Minstrel

in the Derby on June 1, when he came second.



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is specially recommended. 4.5 Swing Through. 4.35 Nanas Queen.

4.35 TEES MOUTH HANDICAP (3-y-o: £959: 7f)

dcar programme

vision (IBA): 2.30, 3.5 and 3.35 races] REAKWATER STAKES (2-y-0: 1647: 71)



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12013 Young Pip (B), M, Jarvis, 4-9-11 B. Raymond
30-300 Westgate Girl, E. Collingwood, 5-8-10 O. Gray
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3000 Wheel-am-Roy, P. Taylor, 4-7-7 J. Lowe
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281 Shop, 7-4 Young Pip, 9-2 Robin John, 7-1 Westgate Cirl, 24
281-Boy. 10RNLEIGH HANDICAP (£1,718: 6f)

castle results 1.34); BOULMER STAKES (2-y-

ALSO RAN: 4-1 Habberight, 8-1 Lady Stictons, 10-1 Marions Pearl (4th), 16-1 Fair Hand, S.-1 The Blonic Boy, 8 rm. TOTE: Win, 25p: places, 13p, 13p, 17p; that forcast, 4-p, 1min 04,53-ec. 31, 2-1, J. Berry, at Lancaster, Late Rottern did not run, Winner bought in for \$20 gms. 19. De by King Emperor

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Connent O. Gray (15-2) 3

PAN: 14-1 Deep Profile (4th).

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Mc Boy Cousin Ribby, Dream

Cowanion, Sam Busier.

19. 12 run. 3,50 (3.31) HARRY PEACOCK CUP (Handica): Im II: £4,680) Level Par, b c by Halber-Aberdonia (N. Angus) 4-8-12 J. Bleasdale (12-9 [ay) Andy Rew G. Bexter (2-1) Abercate G. Duffield (7-2) ALSO RAN: 7-2 Kithairon, 4 ran. 11: WALL SELLING STAKES Field, ch f. by Abwah-ilelogram (R. Hagne) 8-8

Bello--Drakes Image (Kilroy Estate Agents), 8-3 Let's Dance . C. Duffold (10-1) 2 Marcy's Scion, D. Mailland (10-1) 3 ALSO RAN: 5-1 Pinero (B/r), Star-light Lad, 13-2 Wayland Prince (4th), 17-2 Mhairi Dhu, 10-1 Greon stan-sions, 20-1 veronica Heron, 25-1 Roi-des-Tors, 10 ran. TOTE: Win. 40n: places, 21p. 24p. 9p; dual forecast, 56e, G. Hunser, East Haley, 51, hd. 2min 09,02sec. 4.30 (4.30): SEAHOUSES STAKES
(1m 4f 60yd: 1°19)

Plylas Empress, b (by Young
Emperor—Forms Fancy (A.
Johnston): 5°12

Gossis-Gamiet. E. Johnson (5-5) 2

Tapappi ... J. Lewb (10-1) 3

ALSO RAN: 50-1 Night Flight,
100-1 Frediculate (4th): 3 ran.

Redcar selections

Goodwood selections

By Our Newmarket Correspondent 3.5 Young Pip. 3.35 Heracles. 4.35 Doughty.

TOTE: Wig. 16p: forcast, 20p. G Prichard-Gordon, at Newmarket, 'al 20t, 2min 46.71sec. 8.0 (5.1): CRASTER HANDICAP (61: £1,119) (6f: C1.119)

Fair Dandy, b. g., by Carraval Dracer—Dick's Varn (M. Steele), 7-8-1 C. Dwyer (S-1) 1

Eva. J. Bicadale (11-4 ht 6w) 2

The Verger J. Lowe (11-2) 3

ALSO RAN: 11-4 April Lasky (fill 6w), 7-1 Swolara, 11-1 I Don't Mind 12-1 Royal Mossage (iii) 14-1 Tlash Fire, Emporer of Ghana, 20-1 Forgets Image, Mrs Higgins 11 run. TOTE: Win. 630: places, 18p. 19p. 19p. 17p; dual forreast, £1.28, W. Haigh, at Markon, 11, nk. 1min 15.19ec. TOTE DOUBLE: Level Par, Fiving mores. 26. TREBLE: Mydel Field. Elloy Veiner, Fair Dandy, £29.75.

Bath winner provides a pointer to Goodwood

Rodman overwhelmed Amity by

five lengths in the final furlong of the Corsham Handicap at Bath yesterday and turns out quickly again for the \$2,000 Heyshott Handieno ar Coodwood tomorrow.
He has only 7st 11ib, gets no penalty and must again be very hard to beat.
Gulf Spring made the running and was challenged at the distance Amity, who was seeking a le. Paul Cook was poised treble. Paul Cook was poised ominously at their quarters, and, as soon as he let Rodman go, the S to 4 favourite settled it in a matter of strides. He looks sure to win more good races for Freddie Maxwell before the Lam-bourn trainer retires at the end Rodman completed a double for Paul Cook, who enjoyed a pre-vious comfortable win on Destiny Girl in the Rissington Stakes. Destiny Girl hit the front Destiny Girl hit the front approaching the last quarter mile. She was immediately pursued by Coulstry and the favourite. Precision, but the further they went, the further she drew clear.

the further she drew clear.

Frank Freeman, a local trainer who came out of hospital only last Tuesday and now faces six months on the easy list, missed a 509-1 double hy a short head. He won the Stapleton Stakes with Sotula, a rumway 14-1 winner. Portella (33-1) was just pipped in a tight finish to the Oldfield Handicap by Zipperdi-Doo-Dah. This winner, completing a treble, was always just holding Portella through the final furlong, bur it was a close call.

Murless elected full member of Jockey Club Sir Noel Murless, who retired

from training last year, was elected a full member of the Jockey Club yesterday. The appointment was a natural followup, Sir Noel having already been appointed a steward at Newmarket and York and a member of the anti-doping com-

Sir Noel was one of four new Jockey Club members whose election was announced yesterday. The others were Tony Bethell, Sam Collingwood-Cameron and Lord Pairthyen.

Sir Noel held a trainer's licence from 1935 until last year and, in that time, saddled a record num-ber of 19 classic winners, including Carrorsa, who won the Oaks in 1957 for the Queen.

Bath results

2.15 (2.16) DAUNTSEY SELLING STAKES (Im 21 50yd) £474; STAKES (Im 22 SOyd: £474;

San Ministrel B 8, by Sasapic—
Lunar Homopie (Sirs C. Consott),

5-7-15 ..., P. Weldron (5-1) 3

La Furns ... S. Puris (1-1) 2

ALSO RAN: 5-2 Babbling (Lav;

3-1 Calculat (4-1), 3-1 Derham
Warrior, 14-1 Dioptich, 16-1 O'Henry,
Pyint Lookous (took no part under
Gridge), 25-1 Tontering, 33-1 Ponnill
Cottage, Craydo Ray, Bull Teice, Lady
Jado, Penny Gambio, Fair Hond (u/r).

16 ran.

Destiny Giri. ch f, by Karabas—
Destiny Day (J. Hobhobse),
B-11 P. Cook (12-1)
Country W. Carson (10-1)
Procision D. McKay (8-2 fay) ALSO RAN: 5-1 Sandy May, 11-Colmen Most, 7-1 Miss Markin, 10-Mainspell (44h, 14-1 Debsboy, 25-Foundation Stons, Handome Arsh Eard, Sonnis Crocces, Etolic de Ville Rancy Markat, Plore, Poly Bird Regency Street, 17 ren, TOTL: Win. £1.35; places, 40p 34p. 32p; dual forecast, £13.63. 41 21. P. Cundell, at Compton.

Great Memnirs, Ch. f., by Great Memnirs, Ch. f., by Great Monhow—Blue Book (Major A. Smilh-Blagham), 9-3 (Major A. Smilh-Blagham), 9-3 (Major A. Smilh-Blagham), 9-3 (Major A. Smilh-Blagham), 9-3 (Major Major Ma TOTE: Win, 16p; places, 14p, 21p 21p; dual forecast, 87p; 11, 31. P warwyh, at Lambuurn,

3.42 :3.44) CORSHAM HANDICAP (0.70: 1m of 12vds: £1.062) Redman, b c, by Reito—Neptune's Daughter (Lerg Vestey), 8-19 P. Cook (5.1.5v) 7 Amity Green ... R. Street (20.1) 3 ALSO RIN: 15-2 Guly Spring (30), 9-1 Haywire, 5 run.
TOTE: Win, 37p: forecast, 37p, 51, 21, F. Maxwull, at Lambourn.

4.15 (4.16) OLDFIELD HANDICAP
37 1679ds: 21.1149
Zipperd-Doo-Dab, br h, by Shooting Chart—Spring Bornet (F.
Turner), 5.8-0
R. Bullantine (7-2), 7
Portollo R. Curant (25-1), 3
Boundless L. L. Johnson (3-1), 2
ALSO RAN: 7-4 My Engle (4xy),
1.5-2 Nor Sars, 1-1 Forest Moor, 25-1
Larollo, 53-1 Master Bullder (4th),
Billy Liar, Ming of Swing, Bob. 11 cm.
TOTE: Win, 46p; places, 17p, 65p. TOTE: Win, 46p; places, 17p, 63p 15p; dual forecast, £12.99, Sh hd. 3i C. Benslead, at Epom. Moor Lan-and Telecom did not run.

4.45 (4.45) STAPLETON STAKES
(1m 3f 150yds: 12868)

Settat, ch f, by Sovereign-Bill—
Mayold: R. Morfeyt, 3-8-1-1-1;
La Meriette ... J. Rowe (5.71) 2

Tranky ... J. Rowe (5.71) 2

Tranky ... G. Dale (3.71) 3

ALSO RAN: 4-5 Barnstar, 9-2 Sty
Imperor, 7-1 Mount Stephen, Tudor
Whistle (4th: 20-1 Rappy Plintim, 25-1 Silver Peace, 3-7 Connecty Turn, 25-1 Silver Peace, 3-7 Connecty Turn, Royal Sape, Whistling Bornic, Young Hojelul, 138; Flo, Lorad Viregal (5th), Moer Lady, Princess Advisor, Sinarras, Viatique, Contaur Star, 19 rap.

rap.
TOTE: Win. El.62: places, 23p.
el.61: 72p: dual forecast, 532,20,
8i. 5i. F. Freeman, at Bath.
TOTE DOUBLE: Great Memories.
Zipperdi-Doo-Dah. C.80. TREBLE:
Destiny Girl. Rodman (paid first two
lega guly), £35.70.

Windsor

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6.0: 1. Monthly Pigeon (7-4); 2. High Rollier (9-2); 5. Lady Glard (1): 1 fav., 18 ran.
6.30: 1. Nairon (12-1); 2. Royal Companion (2): 1: 1 told Song (6-1). Wolsh Jester 3-1 fat. 18 ran.
6.53: 1. Peorises Prince (13-2); 2. Langford 80, (9-2); 5. Sandwich Bay (14-1), 12 ran.
7.30: 1 Wolver Valley (9-2); 2. Article Hascal (7-1), 3. Tudor Wynk (10-1), 15 ran.
7.50: 1. Temple Wood (15-2); 2. Epstone Spark (6-1); 5. Parmesh (5-1), Lieganie, 11-10 fav. 8 ran.
8.30: 1. Castline (12-1); 2. Silick Chick (2-1 fav); 3, 7a) Princess (10-1), 10 ran. Ball and Chain did not run.
8.50: 1. Now Hear This (15-2); 2. By Our Racing Correspondent 2.0 Trevine, 2.30 Maid in Hand, 3.5 Young Pip. 3.35 DAME CLARA By Our Racing Correspondent 2.0 The Tista. 2.30 Amaranda. 3.10 CALIBINA is specially recom-mended. 3.45 Hot Grove. 4.15 Silver Chief. 4.45 John de Coombe. not run. 8.50; 1, Now Hear This (15-2); 2. Letterallan (8-1); 3. Barley Boy (25-1). King Cappa, evens (av. 17 By Our Newmarket Correspondent 2.0 Hunter's Joy. 2.30 Amaranda. 3.10 Noirima. 3.45 Lucky Sovereign 4.15 Finite. 4.45 Azucena.

Nottingham

5.50: 1, Selibob (25-1); 2, Just Sherwood (6-1): 3, Royal Penguin (9-2), Moon's Lass, 3-1 tar, 12 ran. 5.30; *Lambkin (11-1) and f. Ski Rus (8-1); 3. Mr Marks (20-1). Watchout, 10-11 fav. 16 fan. †Dead-best. hest:
7.0: 1. Sams Reyale (11-1): 2.
Incide Track (8-1): 3. Harry's Pizzale
13-1 (av): 15 Fm.
17-15: 1. Beechwood Lad (11-2): 2.
Smack-Bis (9-4 (av): 5. Reyal
Wonder (11-1): 2. Wonder (16-1).
7.59: 1. Annihor Treat (4-1): 2. Endoque (11-2:, 5. Holly Dell (25-1). Branchster (11-2:, 5. Holly Dell (25-1). Branchster (11-2:) 16 ran. Conway Princes (11-2): 3. Same Prince (19-2). Artic Tribune, 15-8 fav. 8 ran.
8.50: 1. English Branty (11-10)

Athletics

Miss Lannaman carried off track

From Cliff Temple Athletics Correspondent

Stockholm, July 25 In spite of a string of victories for Great Britain on the opening day of their International americs match with Sweden and Poland match with Sweden and Poland here tonight, the meeting ended on a note of deep concern for the British team when Sonia Lannaman, possibly the fastest woman sprinter in the world, injured herself in the 4 x 100 metres relay and had to be carried off the track. Although the injury was not the same hamstring which kept her out of the Montreal Olympics, it

out of the Montreal Olympics, it was diagnosed as either cramp or a slight pull and it seems unlikely that she will be able to run tomorrow in the 200 metres. Her participation in the European Cup fittal in Helsinki on August 13 and 14 must also he over the greetien. 14 must also be open to question. Earlier, Miss Lannaman had increased her sequence of inter-national victories this year when she won the 100 metres in 11.27 seconds, her fastest legal time of seconds, her fastest legal time of the year, in spite of making some-what heavy weather of the race. She was still alongside the Swedish champion Linda Haglund, at the halfway point, after a slug-gish start ("I was askeep in my starring blocks") but came again in the last 40 merres to win, with ther tream commander A weep I week her team companion Andrea Lynch, who has been in her shadow in recent months, also finishing well to snatch second place from Miss Hagland.

After the finish of the race, Miss Annual carponed into After the finish of the race, Miss Lannaman connoned into some green cushioning about 30 metres beyond the finishing line, and seemed to have injured her knee, but when the relay event began, she was in her customary position at the start of the second leg. She began her run brilliantly, closing rapidly on Sweden and Poland, but appeared to slow down and her change-over with Sharon Colyear, was a poor one. Miss Lannaman limped acress the track.

That was not the only incident of the race, however, because Sweden dropped the baton. Miss Lynch produced a storming anchor

Lynch produced a storming anchor leg to overtake the Poles, and win the race for Britain in 44.39sec, then the Polish team were disqualified for a faulty takeover. So Britain took maximum points—still scart consolation for the injury to one of their best persini scart consolation for the injury to one of their best performers.

This historic Stockholm stadium, which since the 1912 Olympic Games, has seen many British victories between its old grey brick towers, had witnessed the heartening start to the two-day match by Britain. Apart from Miss

Lannaman's win, many athletes in both the British men's and women's team, achieved their best performances of the year, thanks partly to an improvement in the partly to an improvement in the weather to a pleasantly cool Scandinavian evening. Christopher Black in the hammer throw, Ann Ford (with a personal best) in the women's 3,000 metres, and Donna Hartley in the 400 metres, all made seasonal progress in their victories. And in the women's long jump. Susan Reeve confirmed her rise in world status this year by winning with a leap of 21ft 73in which she achieved twice and also managed a third jump only a quarter of an inch less. quarter of an inch less.

Jane Colebrook, who won the 800 metres, found herself in the tantalizing situation of being able to see the huge digital clock tick-ing away to two minutes when she made her break 200 metres from the line. But with Miss Colebrook less than 10 metres from home, the figures passed two minutes. Her time of 2min 1.2sec was another loud knock on the door which must soon open for her.

the 1,500 metres, snatching a narrow and late victory. In the 10,000 metres the British pair, Neil Coupland and Grenville Tuck, progressively destroyed the oppo-sition until they were assured of maximum points and Coupland, who like a number of other athletes in this match had to spend the European semi-final event as reserve, finally pulled away for victory.

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European Cup semi-final managed to complete their change-over safely.

At the end of the first evening

At the end of the first evening from Britain led their men's match with Sweden 59—47 but trailed in the separate match with Poland by 65—41. In the women's matches, Britain were in an unassaliable position overnight. They led the Swedes by 56—26 and the Britain's men were in good form led the Swedes by 56—26 and the on the track, with Michael Kearns, Poles by 52—30.

Results from Stockholm

100 METRES RELAY: 1, Poland. ec; C. GB, 40.01; 3, Sweden,

In the final event of the even-ing, Britain finished second in the men's sprint relay, but full marks to the selectors for retaining the last two runners, Ainsley Bennett and Stephen Green, who were not manifeld again for their unforpenalized again for their unfor-tunate disqualification in the

185.71
SMOT PHT: 1. W. Komer (Pt CD.20 metres (#8ff 5m; 2. H. Horniand (8. 19.6) metres (55.0), 15.3 A. Arrhenius St. 19.38 metres (55.0), 14.4 E. Anezak (Pt. 19.4) metres (6.7); 5. M. Winch (GB), 19.3 metres (6.3); 6. P. Burton (GB), 16.73 metres (54.11). Women 100 METRES: 2 S. L. Hagtung
M. Bogucki (Poland), 11.59; 6, H. Pihl
(Sweden, 11.59; 1, D. Hartley (GE),
400 METRES; 1, D. Hartley (GE),
51.76 Sec; 2, E. Katolik (Poland),
53.48; 5, C. McCormack (GB), 54.48;
5. K. Kacpertzik (Poland), 55.69; 6, E.
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L. Wallin (Sweden), 55.69; 6, E.

Yachting

Winds halt America's Cup trials

Newport, Rhode Island, July 25.—Independence, fresh from her first win of the summer against Courageous, and Emerprise were given time off today because of high winds across the America's Cup trial course. The New York Yacht Club's race committee announced this morning that the scheduled pairing of independence and Enterprise would take place mmorrow instead The Sun day of the schedule.

The committee said winds were 22 to 25 miles per hour from the southwest in Newport Harbour, gusting to 30 mph. Another reason for the postponement was the swelling sea.—AP:

Gales are affecting the racing programme of the Bridsh Laser open and national championship being held at Holyhead this week. Yachts, from as far affeld as Hongkong and South America, have been able to participate in only one race so far—the Dunhill Trophy for which no winner has been declared because of a probeen of a pro-

been declared because or a pro-test.

Force eight gales and bad weather forecasts are blamed for the cancellation of two races. A spokesman said yesterday, how-ever, that it was hoped that two races would be held today The second race in the European Scorpion championship at Sligo, Ireland, yesterday was called off because of gusting force nine gales

Tennis

One junior seed eliminated at Eastbourne

nis first match in the junior cham-pionship at Eastbourne yesterday. Kevin Harris, from Essex, was knocked out 6—3, 6—2 by Ian Ainsworth, of Lancashire. The no 1 seed in the boys' singles, Neil Rayner, from Essex, had an easy 6—1, 6—0 win over Lancashire's Michael Ballardie. Anne Bobbs. of Cheshire, seeded one in the girls' championship, beat Julie Walpole (Surrey), 6—2.

Boys' singles

SECOND ROUND: M. Rayner
(Less') both M. Ballarde (Lancashre) both M. Ballarde (Lancashre) both M. William (Lancashre) both M. William (Merchard and the Marchard and the Marchard (Merchard and the Marchard (Merchard Merchard Merchard (Merchard Merchard Merchard Merchard Merchard Merchard Merchard (Merchard Merchard Merch

Garner (Surrey, 6—1, 6—5, D. Chadwick (Yarishine) beat R. White (Eucy), 1—6, 6—4, 7—5; White (Eucy), 1—6, 6—4, 7—5; White (Eucy), 1—6, 6—4, 7—5; M. Waller (Warwickshire) beat I. Goggins (Norfolk), 6—1, 3—5, 6—2; M. Powell (Warwickshire) beat S. King (Warwickshire), 6—6, 6—9; M. Appielon (Larcashire) beat S. King (Warwickshire), 6—1, 6—2; S. Wall (Kent) beat Y. Recves (Hampshire), 6—1, 6—4; S. Wall (Kent) beat Y. Recves (Hampshire), 6—1, 6—3; D. Bawden (Doron) bout A. Winght (Leicostershire), 6—1, 6—3; J. Rich (Norfolk) beat E. Lighthody (Wales), 7—6, 6—2; D. Parnell (Lancashire) beat (Norfolk) beat E. Lighthody (Wales), 7—6, 6—2; D. Parnell (Lancashire) beat C. Winght (Walwickshire), 6—1, 6—3; K. Lioyd (Arom) beat E. Walter (Somerset) 6—1, 3—6, 7—5; J. Galsor (Yorkshire) beat J. Hodgkinson (Derbyshire), 6—2, 7—5, 5—3; S. Levan (Middleser) beat J. Syrell (Buckinghamshire) beat J. Syrell (Buckinghamshire) beat J. Schaffold (Checkinghamshire) boat J. Schaffold (Checkinghamshire) beat C. Winglesen (Sunsery), 6—5, 6—5; G. O'Brien (Sansex) beat E. Dean (Surrey), 6—5, 6—5.

Rockett lands first race of Flying Fifteens highly experienced dinghy sailor,

By John Nicholls Gerald Rockett and Nicholas Hartshorn won the first race of Hartshorn won the first race of the Flying Fifteen class national championship at Hayling Island yesterday. Rockett is relatively new to the class, eithough he sailed borrowed boats in the past and has spent the past few seasons in Tempests and Solos. He is a member of the host club, but it should not be thought that local knowledge had much to do with his win yesterday. It was more a question of experience and seaa question of experience and sea-manship in adverse conditions that proved too much for many of the 104 starters.

that proved too much for many of the 104 startars.

Soon after the start of the race the wind increased from force four to a forecast force six, creating conditions that were just about on the limit for racing small boats. The wind was accompanied by black rain squalls that temporarily obscured the course, the land and other boats. It was both difficult and painful to look to windward, the eyes soon became filled with spray and driving rain.

At the start, however, all seemed peaceful enough. The ficer was evenly distributed along the long line, with only a few boats starting punctually. John Royce, winner of the champlonship for the past two seasons, started near whiner of the championship for the past two seasons, started near the committee boat and was soon ahead of those around him. The place to start, though, proved to be at the other end of the line and the leader at the windward mark was Robbie Storrar, of Tynemouth. Rockett was second, Royce third and David Peachey who, like Rockett and Royce, is a

highly experienced dinghy sailor, was fourth.

These boats were clear of the bulk of the fleet, some of whom were already in difficulties. The most common problem seemed to be swamping, caused initially by slowly filling up white sailing to windward. Then, after bearing away round the windward mark the waterlogged hulls refused to rise and nose dived under the surface. Many boats retired, but only a few suffered serious damage.

Rockett and Royce both passed Rockett and Royce both passed Storrer, who was suffering from a series of minor but irritating defects in his borrowed boat. Peachey moved into third place on the second beat and at the windward mark Storrar had further trouble when he was involved in a collision with lan Coryn which led to a protest. All the time the wind was increasing and, as more and more boats dropped out, the race was ended at the end of the second round.

PROVISIONAL RESULTS 18 Babbet to protest. To Rocket and N. Haring and S. Golden and N. Haring and N. Sellot (Audiand). 3. B. Fisher and Mrs. J. Strong Having Iband: 5. D. Poachey and M. Asiley (Draycote Water: 9. G. Liddington and M. Water (Northampton).

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Only one seed failed to survive his first match in the junior cham-

Table tennis

Five England players in world rankings

Five England players earn ranking places in the new world table tenns classification list issued by the International Federation. Jill Hammersley, the European champion, is the bighest placed at equal 10 in the women's list. Carole Knight, of Cleveland, is at No 28.

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In the men's list, Desmond Douglas, the English champion, is placed 25th with Devis Neale at 32 and Paul Day 40th. The rankings are headed by Mitsuru Kohno, of Japan, and Pak Yung Sun, of South Korea, who won the individual titles in the world championship at Birmingham in April.

Dennis Neale of Middlesheugh pionship at Birmingham in April.

Dennis Neule, of Middlesbrough, the English table tennis champion, has signed a £7,000 contract for Hiapanels, of Deventer, in the Netherlands. Neale, aged 32, one of England's top players for the past decade, will play 20 Saturday afternoon matches at £350 a match. The English Table Termis Association have granted him permission to play abroad.

Speedway

Collins leads the challenge for Britain

Six British riders will compete in the continental final of the world individual speedway champ-louships, at the White City on Sunday, August 21. They are headed by the defending champion, Peter Collins, of Belle Vue, seeded until this round and Michael Lee, of King's Lynn, the unexpected winner of the British final. The others are Dave Jessup and John Davis, both of Reading; Douglas Wyer, of Sheffield, and Keth White (Hackney). reid, and keph white (Hackney).

Ivan Mauger, the former world champion from New Zealand, has qualified from the Australasian final, along with three Australasian. Philip Crump, John Boulger and William Sanders. Another former world champion, Ole Olsen (Denmark), is among the qualifiers from Scandinavia.

Palumbo's late winner for Bucket Hill

By a Special Correspondent
On a slippery, wet ground
that made conditions difficult for
the quarter-final round of the
Harrison Cup for polo at Coudray Park yesterday, Bucket Hill
beat Apache by 5—4 and Kirtlington Park beat the BB's (received
1) by 4—21. bear Apacine by 3—4 and kinding from Park beat the BB's (received i) by 4—2].

In the first four-chukka match, which started with many penalties, Hill hit through from 40 yards and made a goal with his pass to Palumbo to give Bucket Hill a 2—0 lead.

Herrera, in fine form, replied with two goals, including one scored from a 60-yard penalty, but Bucket Hill were soon ahead again when Prince Charles scored after galloping the length of the ground from his clearance and Walter made it one apiece.

Haalon and Herrera equalized for the hard working Apache, but Palumbo's back-bander just before time got the winner.

The strong attacking Kirtling-

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The strong attacking Kirtlinglington Park had an encouraging
start with two goals hit by Taylor and one by Barlow who collected a pass to gallop for an
open goal.

The BB's, sponsored by the
German player Heppe, drew near
in the closing stages when Villaneuva made a goal with his pass
to Macaire and scored himself
from a 40 yard penalty, but Barlow made sure of victory after a
centre penalty.

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The Goodwood tournament continued with a Holden White Cup quarter-final match in which Becchanger (received 13) secured a 73-6 victory over Dragonflies.

BUCKET HILL: P. G. Palumbo (2) 1: Princo of Wales (5) 1-8. Mil (8) 3; Miler D. Twinter (3) 3: A. Hertera (6) 3: C. Amary (3) 3: A. Hertera (6) 3: C. Amary (5) back (7) 5: C. Heppe (7) 5: C. C. Williams (7) 5: C. Heppe (1) back, BE's! M. Braim (1) 1: S. Macaire (1) back, BEECHARGER: C. Schroeder (0) 1: R. Addie (0) 3: J. N. Williams (3) 5: J. R. Williams (3) back, Dragonspiles: P. E. Baler (0) 1: D. R. Addie (1) 2: J. N. Williams (5) 5: C. Graham (2) back.

Tennis

The case for abolishing compulsory school worship

and Cambridge and more than a quarter of a century since compulsory church parades were chamboned in the armed ser-It is still, however, the law that school day shall begin with a collective act of worship, exemption from which can only be granted at parental re-luest. It is the experience of the great najority of secondary schools that the law is neither enforced nor enforceable and hat what actually goes on is a travesty of worship so gross as to bring the law into both religion and education.

Wors'no is a voluntary ectivity: it can ally take place with the willing cooperation of the participants. And this applies out to the Christian worship intended by the 1944 Act and to the secularized wor ship of goodness, truth and beauty which is all many schools row attempt. The vast majority of teenagers do not wish to engage in worship of entirer variety at the clock in the morning and the small minority who may be willing to do so are unority who may be withing to do so are unrounded by those whose attitude of oredom or hostility creates an atmophere wholly inimical to real worship.

Those like the Bishop of London in the leneral Synod debate, who argue that chools should provide children with the prortunity of experiencing "Christian rayer, praise and Bible reading", should the beat the ball in the left the best to be the best of the best income. it incognito at the back of the hall in an escently for older adolescents when colwould realize that the enforcement f the requirements of the 1944 Act in the ster years of schooling is as practicable

promotion in the United States. As a practising Christian I want genuine worship rescued from the caricature which takes place in most schools at 9.00 each morning. The motives of the churchmen who want to see the act of worship. to see the act of worship continued are other respects pessed from the scene in recent years. The Free Church report, Religious Education in County Schools, is surely right to insist that Christian nurture, of which worship is a part, is the responsibility of the church not the school.

action.

The education objection to compulsory worship is at least as cogent as the religious one. It contradicts rather than reinforces what we are attempting to do through the rest of the curriculum particularly with older pupils. We try to encourage a search for truth, to respect homestly held views and to promote responsible decision making. Compulsory worship attempts to tell them what the contratt is and a to prografte what the and When the Christian faith represented a

When the Christian faith represented a consensus view in society, which it arguably still did in the aftermath of the Second World War, then it was not unreasonable to begin the day with prayers. Religious belief, the practice of prayer and church going have all declined in the past 30 years and no longer represent a common experience which schools may legisimately seek to reinforce.

We are a pluralistic society and we cannot expect schools to be an exception.

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Religious education too has changed its.
nature: It is no longer Christian neuture
complementing the daily act of worship

norm and reregions emizated. Some-times the quality is poor because the obligation to produce new material every day imposes a strain on those responsible. In either case the obligation to mas-querade as the act of worship, which the law demands, may serve to confuse pupils about the mature of religious belief and

Who finally is to conduct the compul-sory act of worship? Should it be the minority of convinced Christians some of whom may lack the requisite gifts for such a responsibility or whose purpose may be frankly evangelistic? Or should it be senior staff whose lack of religious conviction may render their conduct of worship liable to the charge of hypocrisy? Merely to raise the question exposes the interest to raise the question exposes the anachronism that compulsory worship now is in state schools. Christians ought so make common cause with all who are concerned with integrity in education in askenged that the provision for a daily compulsory act of worship should be removed from the statute book.

P. R. Watkins

The rape of credibility in our legal system

Civilized man finds it is as impossible to tell the whole truth and nothing but the truth as to provide for the dispensa-tion of absolute justice. Yet judges have to pretend to expect an absolute standard from the sworn evidence of witnesses, ed the public at large is led—though no lawyers—to expect a standard of ry and school days onwards should lead ne to recognize as unatrainable

Justice is, at best, but rough, Perhaps it not only as the Sovereign's represen-tives that judges attract respect: citutional hypocrisy may be partly spousible for the swe in which, tradianally, they are held outside their courts well as within them. Yet there is no etence on their part to infallibility. For ris reason alone (but, in fact for much se besides) they are deservedly esteemed.

There is an impression from a variety of ess reports that judges end lawyers have been increasingly on the defensive in recent years. In the pages of *The Times* items may be found to evidence this

to justify it.
On June 29 Lord Denoing Master the Rolls, was quoted as saying: "It is of the first importance that the judges should be upright and independent, and known to be so, and that the public should have confidence in them. Yet in these times we have seen an article made in Mark assessment have seen an attack made in high quarters on their good sense and fair-mindedness. We have seen them non-tared as limiting og it. Excuse: have been made for this assection but there has been no withdrawal. No epology has been offered for it. To those who make that assertion, I would say: If they under-mine the confidence of the people in the judges, they strike at the very root of law and order."

He made it clear that he did not mean to essert that judges never made mistakes. They did sometimes, he acknowledged, and could be criticized for it, as they had been recently. "That was fair

enough."
In similar vein on July 2 the retiring President of the Law Society, Sir David Napley, was quoted as saying: "We live in an age in which criticism, particularly in respect of established institutions, is the order of the dav.... What is perhaps too little understood by the general public and perhaps the media is the extent to which confidence in the administration of justice conditions the behaviour of large sections of the public."

He went on to suggest that if they are

He went on to suggest that if they are constantly regaled with criticisms of the judiciary, the Bar and solicitors there injunctary, me har and solicitors there in-evisably must come a point when respect for the law ceased to exist, when chizens were discouraged from enforcing or pro-tecting their rights, and the incidence of lawlessness affecting every chizen became more evident.

dented opportunity to overrule a House of Lords' decision (Rookes v Barnard) or Lords decision (Rookes v Barnara), which he condemned as having been reached per incurian (i.e. through an oversight). The publishers alone could afford to appeal further to the House of Lords where the earlier decision in Rookes v Barnard was, not surprisingly, restored but the jury's original award of f40,000 damages was again upheid. The appeal was lost however, only by a majority of four to three of the seven-strong Appeals Committee of the House of Lords, led by Lord Hallsham, then Lord Chancellor, in a complicated series of long titlements. of long judgments.

Can anyone be sure that the three dissenting Lords of Appeal "got it wrong" and the other four "got it right"? More then £100,000 (in 1970) of linguists money went (theoretically at least) into the pockets of the lawyers acting for the several parties who, try as they might, could not have been expected to have guessed correctly what would be the outcome of the action at any stage. Quite a

The pressure of complex and Mi-drafted laws, often beyond the comprehension of lawyers and legislators as well as laymen most haunt judges faced with the thankmust haunt judges faced with the thank-less task of interpretation. Even those judges who meet Lord Denning's criteria that they "should be upright and indepen-dent" are expected elso, to square circles. As he had gone on rather optimistically to say, they must "always loyally obey what Parliament has laid down". In addition they suffer from an ingrained over-deference for the validity of legal precedents ("authorities") while counsel in court may applaud and seek to justify each new precedent which is to be recited or to distinguish them on the facts, expen-sively prolonging case after case for ever efterwards. Here it may be the system, and

efterwards. Here it may be the system, and not the judges and practitioners, which will attract the dreaded public disrespect. will attract the dreaded public disrespect. In referring to recent and possibly justified criticism of judges, Lord Denning was no doubt alluding to the case of the guardsman for whose sentence of three years imprisonment for a brutal sexual assault on a girl the Court of Appeal substituted a six mombs suspended sentence. Delivering the judgment of the court one of the three judges described the assault, in "passages of such a sickening nature" that The Times had apologized for printing them, as made by a man who for printing them, as made by a man who had "on the night in question, allowed

indicistry, the Bar and soliciture there is a revised however, the property of the control of th

iury, and costs, in the court of first instance.

The defendants lost again on appeal when Lord Denning took the unprecedented opportunity to overrule a House of law if that is the way to administry justice.

Remarks: But the evidence is now ample, if not overwhelming that a balanced tribunal of women as well as men should decide all matters involving a directly sexual element.

In the same issue of The Times there was a report of two cases of rape tried at Leeds Crown Court on June 20. The judge ordered a 15-years-old boy who admitted raping a girl of 12 to be dessined for three years, telling him: "If you take my advice you will never look at a pornographic book again in your life. It leads to trime". The boy's counsel had apparently said, no doubt in supposed mitigation, that the boy had committed arts against the girl after looking at a pornographic magazine. He also said that the boy, from a local authority home in Bradford, had an extremely cruel and violent father who was serving a sentence of five years imprison-

ment for sexual offences.

The influence or example of the boy's father may or may not have affected the shared with very many other people, none of whom has ever committed or ever will commit any sexual crime. Might not the judge have recognized the effect of his father's history on the boy's behaviour as more worthy of comment than the reading of a magazine? It is a pity that the judge could not have first read an article by Dr M. I. Heatley, on yet another page of the same issue of The Times, on the "New hope for society's deliquent victims", prepared by the working party of the National Association for the Care and

Resettlement of Offenders.

The report on the Leeds trials went on The report on the Leeds trials went on to describe another case involving a girl of 12, when the same judge sent a 17-years-old boy to Borstal, saying that obedience, not intellect, kept people out of trouble. To this youth, who had admitted to offences of rape and dishonesty, the judge is reported as saying: "You have a good deal more intellect than a dog but a dog behaves itself because it is obedient to fire master."

What dog has ever obeyed its master-What dog has ever obeyed its master—
or misures—in the vicinity of a birch on
heat? (The absence of a seasonal trigger
contributes, of course, to the special
responsibility of human males.) And is
there any evidence to suggest that human
intellect rather than something more
subtle, conscience, may be relied upon to
overcome human instinctive behaviour?
It is legitimate to inquire in what circumstances either intellect or conscience may
be so developed as to courol a lustful or
vicious passion.

Dr. Heatley's article, already referred
to, contains a passage relevant to this

to, contains a passage relevant to this judge's quoted views on obedience: "Paradoxically the more successfully a boy is trained to act only on instructions, the more dependent he becomes on the institution to give him these instructions. The ability to think through a problem, make a decision, and accept responsibility for it—attributes of a mature personality—is not easily encouraged within a penal institution, obliged to constrain residents

who would prefer to escape ". There would appear to be monumental judicial ignorance and unworldliness on controversial issues which involve sex in any way. On the evidence of these three cases reported in one day, some may wonder who are in more urgent need of explicit education on delinquency and the psychology of sex—children, guardsmen (after a lesson in anatomy) or judges. But that would be to avoid the serious issue at the world be to avoid the serious issue. as to whether a general respect for the law may properly be protected from the effects of injudicious judicial pronounce-

effects of influencious judicial accounterments.

No judge can be expected to be well-informed upon the facts and implications of every case he may have to try. Some judges have publicly criticized experts called to give evidence, as the law provides (notably, for example, in obscenity

cases).

Judges are assumed to be experts learned in the law and chosen to administer it with the benefit of such qualities of character as those mentioned by Lord Denning. However hard they may strive to put prejudice from their minds they would be less than human if they could be relied upon to exclude subjective elements from influencing virtually every decision.

But, in accepting the lonely role of anyone elevated to sit in judgment on fellow human beings, judges may have increasingly to accept, or at least to live with, the no less subjective judgment of those who do not share their austere responsibilities.

Michael Rubinstein

Law Report July 25 1977

Discrimination against women teachers

sex distrimination se could be found, the Employment Appeal Tribourd each.

They dismissed an appeal by Miss Miriam Notaman, a teacher, from a decision of a Lomiou industrial tribunal last January that they had no jurisdiction to hear her complished of unfair dismissed against her employers, Barner London Borough Council, by reason of paragraph 10(b). Paragraph 10 provides: "[The right not to be unfairly dismissed] does

Woman complains of Civil

Service age limit

of sex.

The Employment Appeal
Tribunal, Mr Alderton dissenting,
allowed an appeal by Mrs Belinda
Price from the dismissal by a revenues to her compains or mis-crimination on the ground of sex against the Civil Service Commis-sion. The Appeal Tribunal remitted the case to an industrial tribunal on the question whether in fact the proportion of women who could comply with it was amaller.

the industrial tribunal that she could satisfy (i) so that the tribunal flid not hear argument on the question whether the condition could be shown to be

respect.

Knowledge and experience anggested that a considerable number of women between the midtwenties and the mid-direct were
engaged in bearing and minding
children and that many found it
impossible to take up employment
until their children were older.

The condition was one which was Society of Civil and Pricitic Servents.

ARR JUSTICE PHILLIPS, reading the judgment of the Appeal Tribunal, said that Mrs Price had found the Civil Service as a derical officer when she was 17. At 20 she had married and had had two oblicters. Towards the end of 1975 she saw an advertisement inviting suplications for appointment in the Civil Service as accurity officer. In response to her application she received a poolicity officer when she was 17. The condition was one which was next their security officer. In response to her application she received a booklet setting cut the conditions of appointment and hearnt that candidates should be "at least 17; and under 22 years of age than did men shoe most twomen had greater difficulty in complying with such an age range than did men shoe most women in their twenties were having children. She said that the condition was considerable number of women in their twenties were having children and the case would be remitted to an industrial tribunal.

There was no doubt that if the Treasury Solicitor.

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- The next decade could be crucial for manpower in the British and Russian armies

As recruits for the US army dry up, there is talk now of conscription

The United States all-volunteer slumped from 65 to 56 pe army may be running into its first manpower problems since it came into being 41 years ago. A number of senior officers and politicians are already worried enough to talk seriously about bringing back

wonder what all the fuss is about. At the end of last year, four years after the ending of the unpopular, inequitable Vietnam draft, the missivings of both liberal and conservasional force would seem to have been confounded. With 775,000 soldiers, the US army was only 0.5 per cent short of its target size. Nor had the other services suffered. The Marine Corps was 99 per cent recruited and the navy and the air force were actually up to

In fact most of the pessi-mists acknowledge that the switch to a voluntary force has so far been highly successful, in terms of quality as well as quantity—with a higher pro-portion of above-average recruits than the forces received through conscription. It is the future rather than the present which worries them and the clouds, they say, are already on the horizon.

One of the warning signs they point to is the increasing difficulty of attracting high school graduates—one of the quality "yardsticks" by which success in achieving the kind of army that it wants. The proportion of army recruits with high school diplomas equiva-lent to A-levels in Britain1976, after two or three years of gradual improvement. Indeed the proportion dropped for the navy and the air force, too, though to a less marked degree, despite increased effort

Another worry is the rising roportion of black recruits. Although the black slice of the 18-to-21 population in the United States as a whole is only 13 per cent, the proportion among those joining the forces has climbed to more than 19 per cent, and in the army alone to nearly 29 per cent. This at least shows that the army is providing job security for an underprivileged black minority. But it also conblack minority. But it also con-jures up a disquieting picture of white Americans living a-comfortable life at home while their less well-endowed black brethren are left to look after the national interest.

So far it is the army's reserve strength which has given rise to most concern. After 18 months of declining graphs, the Army Reserve and the National Guard had a combined shortfall of 55,000 last spring-and with no obvious prospect of rapid improvement. Those young men who pre-viously joined the reserves to avoid the draft are now leav-ing, their commitment completed. And without any draft to motivate them the young men today are not exactly flocking to replace been a decline in the quality of volunteer reservists. find even more distubing. Then there is the matter of



US army conscripts on manoeuvres in Britain: will it be back to conscription again?

money. The United States is committed to maintaining com-parability between civilian and military pay. It has to, if recparability here has suffered during the Government's programme of income constraints. American military pay has doubled in the past nine years, and personnel costs now absorb about 55 per cent of the defence budget, reducing the proportion available to buy

President Carter has made it

clear that if it becomes impos-sible to find enough volunteers States finds it cannot afford to pay them-he will not allow a return to the old draft, with all its inequalities. But he has also said that he would not shrink from introducing a more comprehensive form of conscription, without any loop-holes for rich young college boys, should the need arise.

national service of any kind remains an option which the Pentagon will my to avoid. For

approach to defence needs, if much money were to be saved. A simple change from voluntary to compulsory recruiting would save only about \$500m, or less than half of one per cent of the defence budget. The annual saving would reach \$2,000m if the conscripts were paid minimal wages—as they were during national service in Britain, But this would mean shifting the burden of national and away from the taxpaver. and would

There are a number of less dramatic options which the Department of Defence will try first. These include improved recruiting programmes, greater reliance on womanpower, and perhaps the admittance of applicants who fall just below the present physical, mental or educational standards. (There which the content in the which which might be service jobs which they could perform, thus releasing the better qualified men for front-line positions.).

The most severe test of new melhods will come in the next decade. By 1985 the number of boys aged 17 should be 15 per cent below the 1976 figure. Unemployment, too, is likely to decrease in the United States the Congressional Budget Office has estimated a drop by one third in the pool of male candidates for the armed

United States recruiting officers are not the only ones to view the next decade with some alarm. The British Army, too, is uneasy over the pros-pects—and so, curiously enough, are the Russians. It has been calculated that the Soviet Union would need to recruit 85 per cent of all 18-year-olds by 1987 to maintain its forces at the present level—so fast is the availability of memorate dealing. of manpower declining—unless they raised the period of cons-cription from the present two years. The size of armies may yet be reduced because there sre simply not enough young men to serve in them. But that

seems cold comfort in the Pen

thing it is. The caucus is force, enthusiasm, zeal, acriv-

ity, movement, popular will and the rule of the majority— the seven deadly sins in fact."

Several Liberal MPs found

intolerable the pressure exerted on them by local party organizations under the direc-tion of the National Liberal

tion of the National Liberal Federation. The issue came to a head in Bradford in 1878 where the newly formed Liberal Association, a strongly Chamberlainite and Radical body, demanded that W. E. Forster, a "moderate" Gladstonian who had been the city's MP for 13 years, should give an undertaking to abide by the policy decisions of its general committee before

refused to do this and a national debate followed in

which The Times powerfully took his side. Eventually Glad-stone intervened and the asso-

candidate, Forster

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Keeping your nerve: remembering 181 it's better to be damp than dead

has had a narrow and doubt-less exciting escape from what nappens next is pre-able not much fun, but I here to help you survive t drowning in a car that has fall-en into deep water; in this case a lake. The reports of such episodes always tell us that the car's inhabitants remained caim (what the car fills alowly with war Note the vital adverb, which all hangs. If you co open the doors the car won fill instantly; if you do up the windows, the same fawaits you; if you do it rig the water will ooze in arou surp but not a sufficient condi-tion of survival in such circumstances), and eventually floated to the surface and lived to tell the tale; what they never do is to fill in the the windows and doors a bit in the middle, which is where the really important information is to be found. I recall a strip cartoon of my youth. The Arkubs, in which the somewhat foolish son of The point is, as the me scientifically minded and you will have realized, that the house, having acquired a copy of Enquire Within, proudly proclaimed that the book had removed the terror of drowning, for, as he said, a If you fall overboard and can't

almost full, of water; until severely if you try to do so an unorthodox manner.

be damp than dead, and ing yourself up by many the chagrin of your end Higher still and higher the water a minute ago it. gran to know or it.

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That really is all there is

a vigorous smack across the chops for anyone who will not let go of it. We are in the it, apart from telling the sto afterwards and, I hope, give afterwards and I hope, giving proper credit in doing so, the source of the advice; which you were saved. For it thing about the method I he described is that, simp though it is, you would us real scientific understanding, work it out ad hoc, and to proper scientific detachned would probably be impossit of attainment even if you we when in the car, let alone you were distracted by I worker washing the fath. business of survival, and this is no time to stand on ceremony. Hands off the doors. The reason for this decree, and for the severity recommended for those who refuse to obey it, is psychological, nor technical. It is, as a marter of fact, impossible to open the doors of a car in the situation described, but the realization of that impossibility is almost certain to lead to panic, which you were distracted by "I mother weeping, my fash wailing, my sister crying, a maid howling, our cat wring her bands ..." But the advitage of the information is the Is literally fatal; the discovery that the pressure of the water outside the car makes the doors immovable is, in turn, almost certain to lead to an attempt to open the windows by winding them down, and anybody doing that is committing immediate suicide. The once acquired; it is mi manently memorable; you not even need to cut this c umn our and paste it on the light () tally, accept any responsibility accept any responsibility towards heirs who think the selves deprived, by my me dling, of their just inheritate and an action for damages that in your own breast and in those of your companions in misfortune; keep your hands

swim, you just turn to page 158 and it tells you exactly what to do "; but the truth of the car in the water is that there really is an exact formula for survival, which needs no instruction manual, but which has been tested in use (though not, I am happy to the ma) and found entirely say, by me) and found entirely efficacious. I cannot recall where I first read about it, but

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and theirs off doors and windows; spend a few moments resisted. But do remember
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A Liberal reform that has kept MPs looking over their shoulders ever since

If it is any consolation to Mr Reginald Prentice and other 'moderate " Labour politicians in conflict with their local party organizations, their pre-British politics. Exactly a hundred years ago The Times and others were predicting that the new power given to Liberal Associations would lead to the dominance of extremists and end the independence of MPs.

The occasion for these gloomy observations was the creation in the summer of 1877 by Joseph Chamberlain of the is ironic that the modern Liberal Party should have celebrated this event with such enthusiasm last month. For it was the federation which introduced into British politics the control of MPs and candidates by local party organizations, the feature which is currently turning so many people away from the Labour Party and towards the Liberals. Had the Liberals known exactly what they were celebrating, they might have been rather less keen to boast about it.

Joe Chamberlain set up the National Liberal Federation in an attempt to wrest control of the mid-Victorian Liberal Party from the Whig oligarchy which dominated it. He boped by bringing together provincial Liberal Associations into a federation and democratizing the party organization to swing the Liberals behind the poli-cies of radical social reform which he had already successfully applied to municipal politics in Birmingham. Chamberlain reckoned that in this way he could oust Gladstone, who although in temporary political exile was still regarded by all Liberals as their natural leader.

In the event, his bid for power failed. The "grass root" forces which Chamberlain ral-





Left to right: Forster, who resisted; Shaw, the first infiltrator; and Joseph Chamberlain, who started it all."

lied in his new federation were those of provincial Nonconformism and they were strongly wadded to Gladstone's brand of Liberalism with its single issue moral crusades to right wrongs in fer-off lands. With Ghamberlain's neo-socialist pro-gramme politics they had no sympathy. The National sympathy. The National Liberal Federation became one of the most solid supports of Gladstone's leadership of the Liberal Party throughout the 1880s and early 1890s.

Chamberlain was, however, able to make a considerable federation. It introduced two features which have been an essential part of the British political scene ever since, the party conference and the accountability of MPs to their local party organizations. Chamberlain reckoned that they introduced democratic control over politics and government by involving ordin-ary people in the determi-

nation of policy. His opponents feared that they would lead to the usurpation of Pacliament's authority and the role of the party machine.

The annual congress of the National Liberal Federation, which took place in different cities around the country from 1878 onwards, was the precur-sor of the modern party con-ference. Chamberkain hoped that it would determine policy and, by involving people who still had no vote in elections, constitute "a really Liberal Parliament outside the Imperial Legislature". Traditionalists feared that it would end the time-honoured system whereby party policy was decided by the leader. In fact, the resultations passed at the the resolutions passed at the annual congresses were never regarded as being binding on the party. On one occasion only, after the Newcastle Congress of 1891, Gladstone chose to endorse its programme of

blamed Liberal ensuing election on being-encumbered with too many policies. Thereafter a reaction set in against letting the federation decide policy and subsequent Liberal leaders treated it as a Victorian child, to be spoken to but never allowed to speak for itself.

It was the introduction of popular control over politics at the local constituency level which particularly worried con-temporaries about the National Liberal Federation. Lord Hartington told a colleague: "I do not feel at all certain that we ought to give our adhesion to this federation scheme. It is almost certain to put the management of the party into the hands of the most advanced men, because they are the most active... There is a good deal of the American causes system about it." caucus system about it."

successor, Rosebery, America is significant. Politics the defeat of the across the Ariantic was asso-Government at the clated in the British mind with clated in the British mind with corruption, wire-pulling, and the rule of the party bosses. Opponents lost no time in labelling as "caucus rule" the system which Chamberlain was seeking to establish whereby local Liberal associations would determine policy and hold their adopted candidates accountable. accountable.

Chamberlain was quite happy to be accused of bringing American tactics into British politics. The caucus was infinitely preferable, he believed, to the old system where parliamentary candidates were selected by a small clique of local bigwigs and then answerable to no one. He said: "It puts aside and unterly confounds all that club management and Pall Mall selection which has been going for so long and which has made of the Liberal Party the molluscous boneless nerveless

The issue was never finally resolved, however. Popular control of the organization of constituency parties and the selection of candidates was all right in theory, but in practice fit tended to lead to the dominance of extremists, as Harrington had predicted. The problem then, as now, was the apathy of most party members.
Very few Liberal Associations achieved large active memberships in an age where volun-tary participation in politics and religion was declining.

ciation backed down.

At the end of the nineteenth century Bernard Shaw walked in off the street to a meeting of the St. Pancras South Liberal Association and demanded to be elected to the executive committee. This he executive committee. This, he noted " was done on the spot by an astonished association— ten strong or thereabouts."
Shaw, it seems, was the first of the infiltrators. His successors are at least using more subtle weapons in their efforts to impose their views on unaccep-

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Playful peer's lesson in lifemanship

TUC limson business kept. a Labour Big Three, Messrs Callaghan, Foot and Hayward, away from yesterday's launching party for Lord Brockway's autobiography, Towards Tomor-

visibly demoralize the 89-year-old pacifist peer. Lively as a 10-year-old, he spent 90 minutes embracing past and present friends and adversaries, of both sexes and both Houses, and generally jollying things along. When the hubbuh needed quelling for the speeches to start, it was Lord Brockway who did it with a cry of "Hush!" And he was ready with a Santa Claus-type "Ho, ho" when a good-will message from Lord Hallsham was read out and

But the playful peer got as good as he gave. Once he gave up his political activities, he seid, he would enrol with the Open University. "If you can should heal themselves

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afford the fees", rumbled Lady Lee from her seat on the stairs. Towards Tomorrow (from Granada Publishing Ltd) as the title hints, is not Lord Brockway's literary swan song. He has completed The First Socialist, a study of Cromwell, and he starts work soon (with Martin Gilbert) on the massive history of the British Labour Party. That just about takes him up to his century.

Mixed feelings

I am indebted to the many readers who have sent me mixed metaphors. I have shuffled them in with my own favourites and will now parade them (that was deliberate, a mere mood setter):—

The only thing this Govern-ment will listen to is muscle The hand that rocked the cradle has now kicked the The image he has built around himself has misfired reached the bit about Lord Brockway's being a "formidable parliamentarian who knows the

The inflationary spiral is a running sore
Those who live in glasshouses
should heal themselves



talent that must be harnessed and crystallized

Shadow first, then incumbent

Whatever my rude comments about the likelihood of John Davies becoming Foreign Secretary in the first Thatcher Administration, the former director general of the CBI is stealing a march on David Owen, the present Foreign Secretary, by getting in on Middle Eastern politics

On Thursday, Mr Davies will fly off to Israel, where he is to have talks with Menachem Beigin and with Moshe Dayan, the new Israeli Prime Minister and Foreign Minister. As Mr Beigin has just returned home from talks with President Carter, and as Dr Owen has yet to meet senior members of the new Israeli regime, it will cer-tainly be a first for the Tory shadow minister.

Since I wrote of Mr Davies last week (some say disparagingly) his supporters have rushed to tell me how well he is growing with the foreign affairs portfolio. I thought he grew rather well with the Trade and Industry secretariat in the heady days of 1970 to 1972, and look where that got him.

Engush with the arm native wines try. Hitherth, our native wines try. Hitherth, our native wines try. Hitherth, our native wines lowing season. What, then, of Freddie Trueman in a certain Sunday newspaper? "It seems that Greig Seyval Blanc wines from Somer can say and do what he likes and get away with it," thunding the hings into London every when the brings into London every with the said more than any contemporary him. Since I wrote of Mr Davies

Still with the Tories (and who isn't?) I note that Geoffrey Finsberg, the MP for Hampstead, has been personally hit by the Grunwick dispute, You can imagine who was the control of the Tests? in spite of (or perhaps because of) the fact that he is a mem-ber of the Post Office Users'

Mr Finsberg lives in the area covered by the Cricklewood sorting office and is therefore receiving no mail at his home

Reverse flow

While the English Vineyards Association is pitting six home-grown wines against similarlypriced Continental rivals at a competitive tasting tonight (and, I predict, not suffering complete disgrace), an enterprising Italian shipper in London don will be preparing to export English wine to his home coun-

Time to boycott

You can imagine what my views are about the recall of Geoffrey Boycott to the England side. As an adult, practising MCC member, I was doubly saddened to read in this newspaper that our own correspondent believes that Mr Boycou's offence in walking out on England was no different from that of Messrs Greig, Knott, Underwood, Amiss and

It had been my intention to set out my views at some length, but after hearing Mr Boycott on the radio and, on Sunday, through the medium of tele-vision, I feel that my case can rest. His inclusion in the team might have been tolerated but for his retirement before the onslaught of Lillee and Thomson in their prime and of Roberts and Holding the fol-

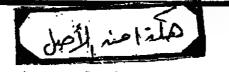


The lady is not for earning, . it seems. Catnic Components, of Caerphilly, use her as a sales gimmick for their new steel lintel, but liberated women object to what they say is the debasing of their sex for commercial purposes. So, Catnic may terminate Cat Girl's existence. I cannot deny the lady's erotic appeal, but surely lintel salesmen, who must lead grey existences, need someone like this distaff Batman to remind them. that life has its fantastic

Union quickstep Trade union fraternity clear has its boundaries. The high press conscious National and Local Government Officer Association (Nalgo to you); losing both members of its pressure of the p section. They are off to the Narional Union of Feathers, whose publicity and public relations head, Henry Chothers, it to be lecturer in journalism at the City University.

the City University.

New girl in the job will be toni Griffiths, press officer a Nalgo for nearly three years who once before was at the NUT as senior publicity assis-



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It's better ECLARING AN INTEREST Tamp than Cordle's resignation has are now, and there would need to be evidence of further wrong-doing before it would be appropriate to expel or suspend the House.

irt from the Select Commitbut the conduct of members What the Poulson s of Mr Maudling and Mr the ert Roberts. They were bothcized by the Committee but less severe terms than Mr interpolation whereas Mr Cordle's fuct was considered to have hele has a contempt of the House the susp he raised a matter in the susp he raised a matter in the susp he raised a matter in the suspension of the suspe and Mr Roberts were Posted to have acted in ways were inconsistent is enwere "inconsistent with the d to expect from its mem-" .". Mr Maudling had failed Vieclare his interest in Parliaat and Mr Koperts and Mr Koperts in dealings But and Mr Roberts had failed

wectare us wide Parliament wide Parnament. self a serious matter because MP is seeking to further his as well as the public good credibility and influence of members and of Parliament in institution are bound to be inished. It is right, therefore, the Commons to insist upon 13 bet a standards in this field. But, he report acknowledges, the es governing the declaration interest were open to more bt when most of the events in stion took place than they

either member from the House. It is so grave a step to deprive any person elected to Parliament of the right to sit there that it ir. But there remain the should be imposed only when no other penalty would be fitting and when there is no risk of iniustice.

Of the two cases that the House must consider today Mr Maudling's is the more serious both because he had a more -senior position with Mr Poulson, and therefore a greater respon-sibility to satisfy himself that all was well, and because he was a politician of national and international standing. He was deputy leader of his party, a former and a future Cabinet Minister. But there are three factors in Mr Maudling's defence that the House should take into account. The first is that the Committee were satisfied that he took adequate steps to disclose his relationship with Mr Poulson to those with whom he dealt outside Parliament. That not only shows that there was no general pattern of secretive conduct but also gives some support to his contention that he did not declare his interest in the House because he did not believe that it was required in the circumstances.

The second factor points in direction too. Maybray-King, who was Speaker at the time of what the Committee believe to be Mr Maud-

ling's most signal failure to declare an interest, has stated in effect that he did not believe Mr Maudling to be under a specific obligation to do so on that occasion. The Committee may well be right to overrule Lord Maybray-King's opinion. It gives substantial reasons for doing so. But if that was the judgment of the man who was then Speaker it is impossible to say that there could be no element of doubt. The third factor is that Mr Maudling was not given any opportunity by the Committee to comment on the criticism which it subsequently made of his resignation letter as Home Secretary. The letter may have been lacking in frankness but natural justice obviously required that the Committee should have presented him with the charge when he appeared before it. They are open to proper criticism for their failure

None of these factors provides a total justification for Mr Maudling's conduct. He ought to have declared an interest. He ought to have been more frank. But there are sufficient uncertainties to make it inappropriate for the House to take any serious step against him, and it would be equally unjust to inflict a penalty upon Mr Roberts that was not imposed upon Mr Maudling. Mr Roberts's conduct was unbecoming, but not such as to make it right that he should be the one singled out by his fellow MPs for punishment.

in that regard.

OUBTS AND RADIOACTIVITY PERSIST

e public inquiry into plans for ew type of plant at Windscale. ambria, to reprocess and store ste fuel from atomic power tions has reached a stage at ich it seems useful to take Once of the position. Within a days, the submission of ntign dence started six weeks ago British Nuclear Fuels in sup-De lorgourt of their application for a nt costing £600m will be comte. Several other key-witnesses favour will give their views ore the objectors come ler cross-examination later in

gust. ... Those in favour include the -- atral Electricity Generating ard. which was not listed ginally as a participant, but ich became inevitably involved zuse British Nuclear Fuels sted that their scheme was narily to satisfy the future nands of the domestic electy boards. The fact that waste - ilear fuel will come mainly first from Japan, Sweden, rmany and Spain is just a infitable coincidence. But objec-'s, among whom the Friends the Earth are proving the st coherent, have argued with ne weight that our own clear waste problems do not I for a reprocessing plant on scale proposed for at least decade. One of the most portant things to have emerged m the inquiry so far is the fact t waste from the new generaof reactors, unlike that from ; old, does not appear to decay ways that make reprocessing urgent matter. The objectors im that this gives us a breathspace in which technological elopments might suggest less igerous solutions to the probis involved.

the Electricity Board's evide, will have to grapple with le of power demand this century and next, and how it is to be met. This inquiry into what is in formal terms simply an application for planning permission touches on such a range of issues that there is a constant danger of its being lost in mazes of speculation and bypothesis. Even the most conscientious follower of the hearings at Whitebaven might find difficulty in identifying the important aspects of evidence and cross-examination which produce daily transcripts in excess of 40,000 words. Mr Justice Parker and his two assessors must be hard put to it to keep their eye on what is

important. Last week, Mr Parker briskly kippered one red herring overnight by calling for tests which exposed as unfounded an allegation that waste products from Windscale were seeping into the Manchester water-supply. But evidence that other dieces of might seem unduly recondite seriously reinforce concern about pollution. New biological find-ings, such as the discovery of radionuclides from Windscale in seabirds' eggs, show that traces of waste thought to have been safely disposed of at sea are reappearing on shore. These findings are of interest not only to those with a taste for gulls' eggs and moules marinières: they show how persistently discarded products find their way back into living food chains.

The inquiry has provided some reassurance about the controversial reprocessing contract with Japan by making it public, at least in summary. There is less reason now to fear that Britain will lose money on the bargain, or be left with masses of waste that the Japanese refuse to take back. But if the contractual dangers are less the technoloreaching questions about the gical dangers remain. Reprocessing aims to trap its final product

in stable, easily transportable glass blocks. This has been done in the laboratory, but not yet on a large scale. At one stage of the process the waste is liquid, unstable and impossible to transport safely. Mr Justice Parker will have to report long before the technology has been broved even on a prototype scale, and will have to take account of the uncertainty that lingers around

Given the highly technical

nature of the issues and the cost of representation the forces ranged in favour of what is proposed naturally have an inherent advantage at an inquiry like this. The opponents may be expected to be at their best when conducting cross-examination, and to appear to less advantage when defending their own positions. Mr Parker sought to encourage constructive spirit when, in each side to answer, he urged the opponents to comment on the economic and environmental implications of supplying Britain's energy needs , without the expansion of nuclear capacity that the Windscale plant would serve. It is asking a lot of unofficial groups to make predictions of that kind. Friends of the Earth are about to make public an analysis which seeks to show that with more thrift we could get to the end of the century without any nuclear expansion at all. As yet the answer this fundamental question before the inquiry—whether the risk of proceeding is greater than the risk of being left without adequate power supplies next century—has not clearly emerged. But now that we have heard most of what the chief witness in favour has to say, it is clear that many of the doubts about the advisability of going ahead at this stage still persist.

HE FLEA DIVORCES THE DRAGON

is seventeen years since the the Maoist theory of three, isolated. The Chinese promptly inese were shocked and tered when several thousand riet experts in China tucked. derneath their arms the plans the factories they were build-, upped and went home on lers from Moscow. The nage to the Chinese economy Sino-Soviet dispute added a ional venom to the doctrinal pute about Leninism. That when the Chinese were glad welcome an ally in Albania, posed to be as angry with the sians as they were. '

lothing so dramatic as in 0 is likely to follow the news m Tirana yesterday that mese experts are to be sent ne when their present concts end. It is the Albanians o are getting rid of the inese, though more discreetly. inese students learning anian—the Chinese have ays been punctilious in learnthe languages of all those h whom they have internaial contacts—are also closing ir books and Albanian stuits in Peking going home for holidays are not expected

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worlds. In the curious protocol of communist debate China was not mentioned, but following the habits of such struggle copies of the attack were promptly disrelations are not so well-established to give an answer. In almost every direction, irrespecrive of supposed ideological sympathies, there may be very little real fellow feeling. Back in 1965 the Russians must have seen Chou En-lai's trip to Tirana as marking a grim solidarity in this gang of two, united in their hatred for the Soviet Union. But like any marriage of convenience it suffered from ill-winds. In 1972 no Chinese delegation attended the Albanian party congress. In 1972 President Nixon's descent on Peking marked China's first step in revisionism in Albanian eyes.

Last autumn after Chairman Hua had assumed power the Albanians sought assurances of China's continuing supportevidently from a sudden fear that after all the Chinese might decide to mend their fences with the Russians and leave Albania independence.

replied that the two countries stood shoulder to shoulder and hand in hand, phrases that may not have convinced Mr Enver Hoxba, the Albanian leader. tributed by the Albanian China seemed to be setting off embassy to all foreign missions in Peking, Is this a rift or a world of two camps: revolution-break? China's international ary and imperialist and ready to patronize any regime, however reactionary, so long as it was anti-Soviet. Probably during the past three

years Mr Hoxha has had to face in Albania criticism on one side from those who never liked too much dependence on China and on another from those who could not see why Albania should not benefit from a détente with the Americans as the Chinese were doing. The critics would have been united in pointing out in addition by how much standards of Chinese economic aid had fallen in recent years. For their part the Chinese are taking the Albanian attacks calmly, rebutting the arguments but keeping diplomatic relations on an equable level. By now Albania is a country that must seem of less significance than it did when Chairman Mao first led his country forward into total

market research factors". lloting expertise shouldn't they be expected to have this expertise? Apart from the m Miss Judith M. Lannon In dismissing Grunwick's claim, issue of whether or not the people d Widgery is reported (July 12) being questioned are the relevant tion of this data. regarding the ACAS question-e as a properly conducted nal ballot consistent with the ones, there is no question that such

crucial ballots require informed professional advice. Polling balloting or any other means of attempting to reflect accu-rately what people think or want However, he goes on to state AS could not be expected to lay "extreme refinements of are an increasingly important part of the modern democratic process;

and it is of concern to many in-volved in the regular use of market research data that such skills and experience available are seldom apparent in the design or interpreta-Yours faithfully, IUDITH M. LANNON,

I. Walter Thompson Company, 40 Berkeley Square, W1. July 20. . .

I am, Sir, yours faithfully, ALASTAIR MACKIE, Director General, Health Education Council. 78 New Oxford Street, WCI. July 25.

they run out

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Adam Smith and Marx: free market or state control?

From Professor T. W. Hutchison Sir, Certainly there are both con-trasts and parallels between Adam Smith's ideas and those of Marx, who derived a great deal from Smith and who—(as Sir H. Phelps Brown recently put it)—" loaded Marr's gun". But the wide and fundamental contrasts between Smith and Marx are much more relevant today since they are concerned with the principles on which an economy should be organized—(our central

problem). A fair summery of the message of The Wealth of Nations is that no economy or society can enjoy freedom in which economic power is centralized in the state and in which markets do not have a major role. On the other hand, Marx and Engels were very vague about the future organization of a socialist economy, though their suggestions are replete with Utopian and millenarion fan-tasies regarding the wonders of technological progress, and the dis-appearance both of scarcity and of the alienation brought about by the division of labour. In fact, the central moral and intellectual irrespon-sibility of Marx and Engels lay in their demand—(without any their demand—(without any thought as to how their alterna-tive would or could work)—not merely for reforms, but for the total destruction of an economic order which, as they admitted, was producing much economic growth with much freedom.

This central Marxist irresponsibility or vacuum, is expressed to-day in the "New Left's "denuncia-tion of both markets and bureauc-racy, which is also in direct intellectual descent from Marx's and Engel's combined proclamation of the "withering away of the state" with their insistence that the proletariat proceed to "the centralization of all instruments of production in the hands of the state" (y Communist Manifesto).

Marx certainly protested that he was "not a Marxist" (just as Keynes, with much more justificakeynes, with much more justifica-tion, insisted that he was "not a Keynesian"). Though neither Mark nor Engels would probably have lasted, out of captivity, for more than a few months in Russia at any time since 1917, they would have been in no position to complain (considering the irresponsible (considering the irresponsible vacuum they bequeathed) of their proposition about total economic centralization being adopted in the major economy claimed to be Mara-ist today, in accordance with the methods of Lenin, Stalin and Brezh-

Those who want to distinguish and detach Marxian political economy from the Lenin-Stalineconomy from the Lemm-Status-Brezbnev tradition have a very long passage to work. One can; of course, readily appreciate Lord Kaldor's eagerness (Letter, July 21) to dis-those who blunderingly seek to implement his ideas with hideous or

implement his ideas with hideous or catastrophic results.

But instead of chiding Mrs
Thatcher for "failing to make the distinction between the ideas of Marx and the practices of present day." Marxist" states", he should have directed his criticisms against those economists (prominently reinted in his owi who so long and entitusiestically hailed Stalinias economic "plan-ning" as a beneficent fulfilment of Marxian economics. As regards Lord Kaldor's extraordinary announcement that "all important. ideas in Marx derive from Adam Smith", it is sufficient to point to Marx's—(or rather originally. Engels's)—theory of instability and unemployment under capitalism, which has been emphasized by Schumpeter and other serious students of economic thought as a major contribution, certainly not to be found in Smith's writings. Yours faithfully. T. W. HUTCHISON. Department of Economics.

The University of Birmingham, Rirmingham. From Mr I. Dmytriw

Sir, While reading your newspaper of July 22 I was innerested to note that according to Mr J. W. Saunders (Letters) the "oppressive regimes cannot hold for long without mass support", which does not corre-

The smoke of battle

From the Director General of the Health Education Council

Sir, As a Scot, I glow with pride at our national health education

mit's quickness on the draw.
"There is no such thing as a safe
cigarette" was an admirable rapid

fire response to the blunderbuss

salvoes of the cigarette makers that led some of us to suspect that

As a gumman for the English counterpart, perhaps I could ex-

counterpart, perhaps I could explain why our pistols are still in their holsters. It is not, as your Diarist implied on July 22, indolence or indecision. Nor, except indirectly, is it powers (area chounted)

directly, is it poverty (even though, person for person, the English eet about one third as much for health

education as do the Scots). It is, rather, that rapid fire responses are

The cigarette industry, apparently,

without contravening what passes for a code of advertising practice,

has led us all to believe that cigar-

ettes which contain synthetic to-bacco have been "approved" or

cleared" by scientific opinion in

a way that makes them not sale.

but safer. The truth is that they

Short term testing indicates only.

that smoking wood pulp is no more

dangerous than smoking tobacco.
Long term testing has yet to begin.
For this the industry will not be using the beggles that caused such

a first a while ago: they will be

Getting this-and much else be-

thing more than quick fire from the

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spond with the actual facts in the the exigences of that mechanism past or in contemporary times.

Having been personally familiar with the Soviet-Russian and Hitler's regimes, I am of the opinion that in most cases the question of a mass support" for the oppressive Marxist or other regimes is relevant to a certain degree only as far as the initial stages of such regimes indicate, or as long as the masses are helping them to power without realizing what such a regime actually means to achieve ally means to achieve...

In Hitler's Germany, as in Communist Russia, China, Cuba, Poland, Hungary, Czecho-Slovakia and Yugo-slavia, the oppressive regime came to power with a certain amount of public support organized by dedi-cated disciplined supporters, attractive propaganda and helped by the existing political, social and economic situation. But as soon as all those regimes established them-selves in their locations and began to practise their programmes, they all had to bring, sooner or later, some special factors capable of helping them to maintain that "mass support". Usually, this special factor was composed by centralized bureaucracy at all fields of human activities and social levels, totalitarianism, mass terror and police power, etc. Once, such a regime gained the upper hand over one nation or over a conglomera-tion of nations the question of ... "mass support" became a matter of irrelevancy.

In my opinion Marxism or any other ideo-political conception is not dangerous to the society as long as it does not exclude from that society the rights for other ideas and conthe rights for other ideas and con-ceptions to function not only in theory but in reality. A man could be free only when he has the rights and the abilities to exercise the basic elements of democracy.

I do not agree with Mr Saunders

that oppressive regimes cannot hold for long without mass support. A group of 500,000 dedicated people with recourse to armament could control a nation. If a certain regime needs to persecute people for their adherence to freedom, then, in my opinion, such regime does not command a mass support.

If Britain becomes as one with Marxist ideology in complete power, I would not advise British people to rely too much on such Marxists as Scargill or similar. They might be able to help such a system to power but would not be able to enjoy such a position for long. The first "cultural revolution" will push them; away and others, less known but more Marxist will take their

Yours faithfully, I. DMYTRIW, Director, Ukrainian Information Service, 200 Liverpool Road, N1. July 22.

Sir, Have any of the recent apologists of Marx in your courses, pondence columns actually read the Communist Manifesto? Mr Saunders's (pow famous) view of Marxism as a great and altruistic decreases a with the wickeddoctrine perverted by the wickedness of Stalin and others (a view shared, it would seem, by Mr Wedgwood Benn in your prefile of July 18), stems from a dangerous idealization of the theories of one of the most fanatical and intolerant thinkers of history. Let us ignore the seething, violent

From Mr Victor A. Hill ..

contempt of the bourgeoisie that characterizes this document and is characterizes this document and is itself an incitement to violence; let us turn to the 10-point programme set out at the end of Chapter II, "Proletarians and Communists". So far as I can see, every one of these points, from the abolition of the private ownership of lead, through the monopolization by the State of credit and transport, to the State takeover of education, is specifically designed to augment the power of the State, to suffacate the power of the State, to suffacate the rights of the individual beneath

ose of the body politic. Since Marx has already told us that property is power, that economic power is political power, one must assume that he is quite aware that he is creating the mechanism of totalitations in, and that those who do not conform to

would be crushed by it.

Moreover - this perhaps his greatest and most appalling achievement—Marx succeeded in devising a moral justification for this totalitarian corporatism by picturing mankind as the victim of history which was outside his power to direct. Since proletarian revolution is inevitable, is it not wiser to work for it than against

In his later writings, his fully developed historicist sociology is applied as a form of technology to "Shorten and lessen the birthcapital") of a new historical period. Thus Marx goes one better than Machiavelli by giving the Pro-leturian Prince a status beyond morality in the name of history.

It is for the brilliant disavowal of the entire concept of historicism that we owe so much to Sir Karl Popper: (Mr Crampton's concern (July 23) whether this disavowal can be described as "irrefutable" does not diminish the stature of

The unspeakable horrors inflicted by communism are not purely the work of wicked individual opportunists. They have their genesis within the pages of the Communist Manifesto itself, and are given the stamp of legitimacy by the scientific lunary of capital

and other writing.
What a pity it is that this fact
is so little realized.

VICTOR A. HILL, 4 Hazelhurst, Beckenham, Kent. July 23:

From Mr George Szamuely Sir, A number of your correspondents as well as Mr Wedgwood Benn have claimed that Marxism must not be judged by its results in practice since the theories of social philosophers and the practice founded on them are two quite different phings. This is a currous assertion to make, especially by Marxists.

Marxism, as Marxists never cease to repear somewhat portentously. is the union of theory and practice. This is a synthesis which neither idealism nor materialism can effect. In other words, political results must be the validation of ideals and movements. have it on Marx's authority that:
"The dispute concerning the reality or upreality of thought—which is isolated from practice—is a purely scholastic question.

According to Marx, therefore, the truth of any theory depends upon whether or not the actual conse-quences which flow from the actions initiated to test the theory are such that they realize the predicted consequences. Hence, since the validity or usefulness of critical thought must be tested by political practice, Markists cannot disown Lenin, Stalin, or Mao who ettempted to realize the sims of Marxism with-out disowning Marx himself.

If Marxists do not like the results of their political practice hen they must realize that there is something wrong with theory. Yours faithfully,

GEORGE SZAMUELY. 17 Sutherland Place, W2. July 22.

From Mr J. R. V. Coutts Sir, I suppose for many people the real anxiety, that emerges from the views expressed by Mr Wedgwood Benn in The Times (July 18) was the absence of any criticism of the Marxist system. This surely is a strange omission from someone who mould chirp to be both fair infinited. would chim to be both feir minded and perceptive. One would have the same apprehension if a leading member of the Conservative Party was unable to see the obvious faults within the South African political system. It would demonstrate an unbalanced point of view.

Yours faithfully, 'I. R. V. COUTTS, The Court Lodge, Chelsfield, July 22.

Myra Hindley Transmit From Mrs Ann West

From Mrs Ann West
Sir, Lord Longford's outburst.
(Letters, July 19), as usual condemning public opinion in the matter of his misquided efforts on behalf of Myra Hindley, proves beyond doubt it is he who is without relevant knowledge. As a father and grandfather I think it is time he took his head out of the clouds and came down to corth so that he could mix down to earth so that he could mix with the ordinary folk and my to understand their feelings. It is he who has "whipped up" public opinion, and the voice of the people shows they are very angry indeed. They are also sick and tired of hearing about his infamous protegée.

The cries of my daughter recorded on tape by Hindley and her evil partner will ring in my ears for ever. Lesley would have been 23 next month, but I have not had the pleasure of watching her grow up. Hindley saw to that, and the parents of this country cannot condone what she has done. Her sentence was LIFE—so be it. Yours faithfully, ... ANN WEST

(formerly Downey), 31 Manor Road, Sale, Cheshire.

July 21.

Old age pensions

From Dr Philip M. Bloom Sir, All politicians, Labour, Conser-

vative and Liberal, are hypocrites; the miners and all industrial sides—across to history's largest assembly of guineanigs needs someworkers claiming large wage increases are hypocrites; the wealthy. the entrepreneurs, the moonlighters, above the din means, with our small resources, waiting for it to die down. That is why we shall only the film and pop stars, the civil servants and the rest of us, including you and me, are hypocrites.

We hear politicians at meetings and on television resoundingly and dramatically state that we will look after the welfare of old age pensioners. We tut-tut ad nauseam that old age pensions should be in-creased substantially. But we do. very little. Old age pensioners have little power to menace us. Maybe

our amour propre has been fratified in making statements; maybe we hope that the time will pass quickly enough until the new State pension scheme is in operation; maybe we

are self-interested.

The fact is that many old age pensioners are living in a state of near penury. I do not write of the wealthy or those still in employment; they pay back in taxes most of the pension they receive. I write about a large number of people who about a large number of people wan are unfortunate enough not to have any other type of pension or income and who are finding it extremely difficult to cope with the rising cost of living. I implore you all to add your voices to mine and demand of the Government that old age pensions should not only rise, as I believe they will in November, but should be index-linked.
Yours faithfully. PHILIP BLOOM. 79 Harley St, V.1.

Hospital accident From Mr A. J. Kember

July 14.

Sir, I write to point out an error of fact in your leader "A lesson for all hospitals" (July 15).

The second paragraph lists a series of shortcomings which led to the accident and says "... the hospital failed to query the onus-sion and members of its technical staff did 'botched' repairs at one time or another which made it easy for an inexperienced nurse to connect an oxygen hose to an outlet for nitrous oxide by mistake". Mr Gorald Ridner's abridged report on page seven makes it clear that the inquiry were unable to establish who it was who had undertaken the botched " repair. The report therefore does not, as your article suggests, attribute this repair to member of the hospital's technical

staff. Yours faithfully, TONY KEMBER. Area Administrator. Kensington and Chelsea and West-minster Area Health Authority (Teaching), 14 Bishops Bridge Road, W2.

Soviet obstruction of sea survey

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From Dr John Simpson and Dr Paul

Sir, It may surprise some of your readers to learn of the extent to which Russian "trawlers" are able to obstruct the progress of oceanographic research by Britsh scientists working in our own waters.

In a recent survey of the frontal region near Islay on the Scottish coast by the RRS Challenger, our programme was repeatedly interrupted over a period of several days by Russian harassment of our current meter moorings. On two occasions the vessel Traverse attempted to lift moorings which had been deployed within sight of land. Only through the constant vigilance of the crew were we able to frustrate their intention of removing our equipment, although one mooring was badly damaged by the Russian action and had to be recovered with a consequent loss of valuable data.
On the second occasion, the mooring was lifted by the vessel operating at night without lights.

We did not receive a satisfactory reply to our radio signals to the vessel (in Russian and English) even when we invited them on board to inspect our equipment and verify that nothing of a sensitive security nature was involved.

We respect our Russian colleagues in oceanography and appreciate that this cold war vandalism is not of their making, but deplore the ignorance of the Russian authorities in sanctioning such activity against a civilian research programme. Yours sincerely JOHN SIMPSON,

Marine Science Laboratories, Menal Bridge, PAUL TETT. Aray Gardens, Oban,

Argyli.

Newspaper closed shop From Mr Richard Yorke

Sir, May I say how much I was impressed by the logic, style, and content of Mr. Kenneth Moram's reply to my old friend Mr Richard Storey in The Times today (July 22). I enjoyed it so much I read it again. And then I wondered.

Except for his quotation from the Donovan Report of nine years ago "it is better to recognize that under proper safeguerds a closed shop can serve a useful purpose and to devise means of overcoming the disadvantages which accompany he did not offer any argument to justify the closed shop. Mr Storey may have got his facts wrong, about the four resolutions that failed at ADM in perticular, but proving Mr Storey wrong does

not prove Mr Morgan right. Perhaps Mr Morgan could supplement his article by saying what it is the NUJ can achieve with 100 per cent membership, part coerced. that it cannot achieve with 90 per cent, none coerced. Examples of how German journalists, whose Basic Law does not allow closed shops, fare worse than Mr Morgan's

members would be especially helphave the honour to be, Sir, Your Obedient Servant, RICHARD YORKE, 5 Cliveden Place, SW1. July 22.

From Mr H. H. Wall Sir, Ken Morgan refers (The Times, July 22) to the "homespun safe-guards" written into the Stratford Express post-entry closed shop agreement with the NUJ. Not all that homespun because that homespun because those who read it will notice the strong derivative influence of Independent Newspapers, Ireland, which recently took over the Stratford Express and which has had a similar agreement with the Irish journalists for four with its Irish journalists for four years. Irish newspaper proprietors are clearly not as paranolac about the closed shop and press freedom as their British counterparts.

Prominent negotiator, on the NUJ

side at Stranford was Aidan White, an executive member, chief sub-editor of the paper and secretary of Journalist Charter, that organization within the NUJ which the closed-shop critics identify as Trotslavite very visionaries designed Trotskyite revolutionaries dedicated to taking over the mass media for their own purposes.

The Strational Express preement is a long and detailed document which, inter alia, guards arainst which, inter alia, suards activity wirtually every possible hazard to press freedom. It should be compulsory reading for the critics, including both proprietors and the Guild of British Newspaper Editors, and the control of the critics in the control of the critics. and then perhaps Mr Morgan's plea for the argument to move forward can be accomplished.
Yours sincerely,

H. H. WALL, Editor, South London Press, 2-6 Leignam Court Road, SW16.

Yorkshire boundaries From Dr John Stabler

Sir, Your correspondent Mr Pay Ward (July 23) is dismayed that people should still refer to "Grimsby, Lincolnshire" and "Hull, Yorkshire". Does he not realize that a Yorkshireman is still a Yorkshireman even if he pars his rates to something called "Humberside"? If Yorks' to ceased to exist in April 1974 I wonder why there is still a cricket team of that name?. Mr. Wird may have noticed that there is no Peyaner volume on "Humbers'de" and I trust there never will be. Yours faithfully, JOHN STABLER, The Old Vicarage, East Winch, King's Lynn,

From Mr Michael Boyd Sir, In today's letters, Mr Ray Ward of Sheffield upbraids you for not recognizing the county bourdary reorganization. He must be an immigrant from another county. True Yorkshiremen know where their boundaries are; and it will take more than a group of bureaucrats to make Yorkshire cease to exist! Yours faithfully,

MICHAEL BOYD, 126 Hendon Lane, Finchley, N3.

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COURT CIRCULAR

July 25: The Duke of Edinburgh this afternoon visited the National Schools' Jubilee Regatta at the Queen Mary Reservoir, Ashford. Lieutenant-Commander Anthony Blackburn, RN, and Major Roger Simard were in attendance.

CLARENCE HOUSE CLARENCE MOUSE
July 25: The Dowager Viscountess
Hambleden has succeeded the
Lady Elizabeth Basset as Ladyin-Waiding to Queen Elizabeth The
Queen Mother.

KENSINGTON PALACE
July 25: The Duke of Gloucester
this morning visited the Infantry
Junior Leaders Battalion at Str
John Moore Bartacks, Shorncliffe,
and in the afternoon, as Coloneiin-Chief, visited the 1st Battalion,
The Gloucestershire Regiment at
Lydd Training Camp.
His Royal Highness travelled in
an aircraft of the Queen's Flight
Lieutemant-Colonel Simon Bland
was in attendance.

THATCHED HOUSE LODGE July 25: Princess Alexandra, Deputy Colonel-in-Chief, The Light Infantry, this evening received Major General D. N. H. Tyacke upon relinquishing the appointment as Colonel of the Regiment and Major-General P. J. Bush upon assuming this appointment.

A memorial service for Vis-countess Eccles will be held at Sr Margaret's Church, West-minster, at noon tomorrow. Dress will be lounge suits.

Latest wills

Estate for Dr Barnardo's

Mrs Lydia Harris, of Hurley, Warwickshire, left £1,770 net. She left all her property to Dr

Mrs Ruth Evans, of St Helens, left \$12,392 per. After personal and other bequests she left the residue to Providence Strict Baptist to Providence Chapel, Haydock.

£137,062

Birthdays today

Lord Champion, 80; Dr E. R. Dodds, 84; Sir Arthur Gosling, 76; Miss Barbara Jefford, 47; Sir Richard Miller, 73; Rear Admiral Sir Edward Rebbeck, 76; Sir Derek Riches, 65; Lieutenaut-General Sir Reginald Savory, 83; Professor Sir John Stallworthy, 71; Lord Thorneycroft, 68.

25 years ago From The Times of Friday, July 25, 1952

Zatopek's records From Our Olympic Games

Correspondent

Helsinki, July 24.—Zatopek established himself beyond all argument as the greatest long-distance runner of his period in the stadium this afternoon. Four days previously he had won the 10,000 metres, as in 1948, in Olympic record time, Now he had a success in the 5,000 metres which he must have enjoyed to the full—also inside the record—with his old rival G. Reliff once more in the field. Thus Zatopek achieved his old rival G. Reiff once more in the field. Thus Zatopek achieved the double event which his own extraordinary tactics probably threw away at Wembley. Mimoun of France, as in the longer race, was second and, like the winner and Schade, the German, who was a close third, he also finished inside Reiff's Olympic record. Pirle ran more wisely than in the 10,000 metres but the best he could do was to finish fount a few inches ahead of an exhausted Chataway, who also had found the pace too hot for the kind of storming finish of which one had dared to hope he would be capable.

marriages Mr P. C. Bowring and Miss M. E. Franklin and MUSS M. E. Franklin The engagement is announced between Patrick, younger son of Mr and Mrs H. A. Bowring, of The Old Orchard, Bembridge, Isle of Wight, and Mary, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs A. H. B. Franklin, of The White House, Landermere, Thorpe-le-Soken, Essex.

Signor R. Fontana and Miss C. A. King and Miss C. A. King
The marriage will take place on
July 30 in Milan between Ranieri,
son of Admiral Luciano Fontana
and Signora Gabriella Fontana
Giustiniani, of Milan, and Christine, only daughter of Mr and Mrs
D. J. King, of Epping.

The engagement is announced between Valentine, younger son of Mr and Mrs Charles Le Grice, of Trereife, Penzance, and Arme, eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Philip Moss, of Great Bookham,

Mr C. Loughlin and Miss J. E. Chatterley The engagement is announced between Clive, son of Mr and Mrs R. Loughlin, of Stoke Poges, and

Mr P. W. Schofield and Miss K. M. Watson
The engagement is announced between Peter Woodward, son of the late Rev Henry Wright Schofield and Mrs Marjorie Spear, and Karen Margrethe, daughter of the late Rev Arthur Reginald Anderson Watson and Mrs Dagmar Watson, of The Old Rectory, Ovington, Norfolk.

The engagement is announced between George, youngest son of the late Mr and Mrs D. M. Scott, of Cobham, Surrey, and Myra, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. C. B. Gilman, of Dumpannon, co Tyrone.

Marriage

Mr J. A. Wilbourn and Miss M. H. K. Sweeney The marriage took place at Brighton on Saturday, July 23, between Mr John Wilbourn and

Latest appointments

Latest appointment include: Mr Kenneth Polack, a barrister, and Mr Henry Hodge, a solicitor, and Mr Henry Hodge, a solicitor, to be members of the Advisory Committee on Legal Aid.

Professor Eric Nell, of Middleser Hospital Medical School, has been appointed for a second term as president of the International Union of the Physiological Sciences.

Today's engagements The Queen and the Duke of Edin-

burgh hold garden party, Buck-ingham Palace, 4.6. Princess: Anne arrives Newcastie airport, 12.30, to visit Tyza and Wear.

Pirates, talk for children, John Dix, lecture theatre, east wing. National Maritime Museum, Greenwich, 2.30, followed by open art sessions.

Exhibition: Swords in the City, Ranking Hall, Midland Bank, Poultry and Princess Street. Walks: Where Pepys once lived; meet Aldgate station. 7. Crime and Punishment, sinister London; meet St Paul's station, 7.30.

Clown Cavalcade, shows for child-ren, Parliament Hill, 11, and Finsbury Park, 3.

Chanctonbury Ring digs

A Sussex archaeological group, under the direction of Dr Owen Bedwin, of Brighton, is making a series of exploratory digs at: Chanctonbury Ring, near Steyning, before a tree replanting programme in the autumn.

Dr Bedwin is understood to have established the earthwork as being early Iron Age.

Policemen rewarded

Police Constables Paul Bazire, aged 23. Richard Gardner, aged 30, and John McLoughlin, aged 29, all stationed at Edmonton, London, were each awarded £25 at Bow Street Magistrane Court Street Magistrates' Court yes-terday for their courage in overpowering an armed gang.

Tribute to a guardian of Britain's heritage

The Inspectorate of Ancient Monu-The inspectorate of Ancient Monuments, the men and women who
advise the Government on the
preservation of our national heritage, yesterday presented a collection of essays about their work to
Dr Arnold Taylor, their old chief
inspector.

Dr Taylor, the grand old man
of ancient monuments, worked for

of ancient monuments, worked for the inspectorate from 1935 until the retired as chief inspector in 1972 and became president of the Society of Amiguaries. His parti-cular field, in which he is the world authority is medieval mili-

society or Aminguaries. His particular field, in which he is the world authority, is medieval military architecture, especially that of North Wales.

The festschrift by his colleagues is different from other such often diffuse collections because it is centraled to a central theme: the work of that unique British institution, the inspectorate, the official archaeologists and guardians of the British heritage.

The expression "ancient monument" was invested for the purposes of the 1882 Act. But many of the sites and buildings protected today are not monuments, or indeed ancient within the popular meaning of those terms. The subjects discussed by their leading authorities in the festschrift range in time from prehistory to the twentieth century, and in content from Neolishic habitation sites to a Lancashire bobbin milk.

During Dr. Taylor's time with the inspectorate the threat to the heritage has become more acute. Before the last war the chief concern was for the standing ruins of Roman Britain and the Middle Ages. Since then the emphasis has changed to include wider classes of monument: the remnants of our industrial historic past, redundant churches, the country house, and a brave sweep of buildings architecturally much less grand, if not to say vernacular.

The inspectorate has also come to realize that preservation may also mean the recording of sites that cannot be preserved in their own right, and the conservation of the resulting products of excavation.

of the resulting products of ex-cavation.

Mr Andrew Saunders, Dr Taylor's successor as chief

Chartered Accountants in England and Wales

The Lord Mayor, Sir Robin Guert,

The tiny Grand Duchy of

Foreigners are too plentiful,

while the Luxembourgers have far fewer babies then the already sizable number of foreign workers, mostly Italian and Pornancese, who live

Luxembourg has a total population of about 360,000, of whom 25 per cent are foreigners. In 1947, foreigners made

up, only 10 per cent of the population. If present trends

coatinue for signers will account for 30 per cent of the population by 1990 and 34.2 per cent by the end of the

century, according to Mr. George Ais, the Government's

As in other industrial Euro-

pean countries, the foreign workers come chiefly from the poorer nations on the continent's periphery. They generally work at the big Arbed

statistics director.

From Paul Lewis

Lucembourg

among them.

Luxembourg running out

Luxembourg, in the heart of Western Europe where Belgium, France and Germany almost no racial incidents bemeet, is running out of tween the native population people—its own people that is, and the foreign workforce, but

of Luxembourgers

Luncheons

Weavers' Company

inspector, presented by the 1250 rians. And, since the Crown schrift fittingly in the Wakefield Jewels were removed from it ten years ago, the Wakefield Tower, it was the right place for several reasons. The last surviving part of the ancient royal palace resonates with the memories of great men from Henry III on, who knew it, and whose works are now preserved by the inspectorate. From the fourteenth to the nineteenth centuries the Wakefield was known as the Record Tower, and was the chief national repository for historic documents, and so the headquarters of all good antique.

sion House vesterday after the for sion House yesterday after the for-mal presentation of the livery by the Lord Mayor to the Company of Chartered Accountants in Eng-land and Wales at a special Court of Aidermen convened for this purpose. The Master, Mr J. M. Keith, assisted by the Wardens-elect, Mr A. J. Hardcastle and Mr K. J. Sharp and members of the court and company were the bosts. court and company were the bosts. Mr K. J. Sharp, the Lord Mayor and the Master were the speakers.

after the presentation in the Wakefield Tower.

Weavers' Company
The Balliffs, Wardens and Court
of Assistants of the Weavers'
Company entertained members of
the livery and their lady guests at
luncheon at the Savoy Hotel yeaterday after the annual St James's
Day service at the Queen's Chapel
of the Savoy followed by Common
HaH, at which the Balliffs and
Wardens for the ensuing year
were elected by the livery as
follows: Upper Balliff, Lord
Gozell; Renter Balliff, Mr E. L.
Shannon; Upper Warden, Mr
O. A. E. J. Makower and Renter
Warden, Mr R. A. Darkin.
Chartered Accountants in England and the Master were the speakers.

Among others present were:

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Peter Venneck, Alderman Sir Bernard
Waley-Cohen, Alderman Sir Denis
Truscott, Alderman Sir Gilbert
Ingleffeld, Alderman Sir Hogh College
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Ing, Mr B. A. Maynard, Mr B. C.
Sayers, Mr D. G. Richards, Mr S.
Kirchen, Judge J. W. Miskin, QC, Mr
Alderman Kenneth Cork, Mr Alderman
and Sherial Asin Lambol, Colonel and
Alderman Fonald Gardner-Thorpe, Mr
Alderman Edustopher Rawson, Mr
Alderman and Sherin-elect Michael

steel mills or take lowly jobs that Luxembourg's relatively

prosperous citizens do not

many officials believe relations

could deteriorate if the popula-

The reason for the growing imbalance in Luxembourg's population is simply that since

1967, deaths have outstripped births by an increasing margin rung Luxembourg criticers. Today their birth rate of 8.5

per thousand is the lowest in the world.

few babies is unclear, but rek-

contributing to large families.

A recent poll showed that more than 90 per cent of Luxembourg families say they are Roman Catholics, but 60 per cent go to church regularly.

Mr Als believes that the

desire to preserve living stand

ards is a main reason why Luxemourgers have so few

Why Luxembourgers have so

non wends continue.

The Chairman of the Royal Over-Seas League, Lord Grey of Naun-ton, and members of the central council emeritained the High Com-missioner for Australia, and Mrs Freeth at Inncheon at Over-Seas House, St. James's, respectivy.

Meerschaum pipe is sold for £1,500

Sale Room Correspondent An historic meerschaum pipe was sold at Christie's South Kensing-ton yesterday for £1,500 (estimate £500 to £800) to Astleys. It is elaborately carved with Queen high dais, flanked by figures emblematic of Germany and France. Before her stands Mr Gladstone and seated behind him. is the dejected figure of Louis half way down the stem.

It is believed to have been of the Franco-Prussian war and to satirize the English for the

Purchased in London by history. Purchased in London by a Major T. J. Francis, it was stolen from his bonne in 1898. Having presumably changed hands several times, it was presented to the House of Commons by a Mr Hooks in 1920. It was pust on display in the smoking room, where it was recognized by Major Francis's son and reclaimed by him. It was sold vesterday

In the Republic of Ireland Christie's in conjunction with Hamilton and Hamilton of Dub-Hamilion and Hamilion of Dub-lin, were selling the contents of Donacomper, in co Kikdre; the sale continues today. The house was for four generations the home of the Kirkpatrick family until it was purchased, with much of the contents, by Mr J. Bruce Bredin from the United States, in 1965. The first day's sale made 5142,273 with every lot sold; the auctioneers' top estimates on the items offered totalled 5141,370. Dr Taylor (left) with his successor, Mr Andrew Saunders. The top price in the sale was £14,500 (estimate £10,000) for a fine late-Louis XIV Boulle com-

Receptions : Dinners :

British Red Cross Society Baroness Hylton-Foster, president of the London branch of the British Red Cross Society, was host at a reception at County Hall yesterday evening. Afterwards she yesterday evening. Afterwards she welcomed members and presented certificates of honour and life membership of the society. Mr Brian Singleton spoke on the control of rables, and the other speakers were Air Chief Marshal Sir Kenneth Cross, branch director, and Mr D. V. Bonsor, branch treasurer. The chairman of the Greater London Council presided.

The Lord Mayor, Sir Robin Gillett, accompanied by the Sheviffs, was present at a reception given by inchcape and Co at 40 St Mary Axe yesterday, The Queen's Award for Export Achievement 1977 to the Inchcape Group was presented by the Lord Mayor to the Earl of Inchcape, chairman of the company.

mode. It is recorded that it was bought by William Kirkpanick, who built the house, just after the French Revolution.

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A pair of kielt gliswood mirrors in the style of Chippendale, the creatings with arcaded Gothic domed niches flanked by eak branches and foliage, were sold for £12,000 (estimate £10,000 to £15,000). They had also belonged to the Kirkpatrick family.

A George III barewood and marqueary commode attributed to William Moore of Dublin was one of the few pieces that attracted less interest than expected; it fetched £2,800 (estimate £4,000 to £5,000).

Amount the curiosities of the

5,000). Among the curiosines of the sale was a mahogany wastepaper basket in Chippendale style, plerced with interlocking Gothic pierced with interlocking Gothic arcading, which went to Stodel from London, at £100 (estimate £40 to £60). A Victorism tak pillar letter-box, probably made for John Fitzgibon, third Earl of Clare, went for £340 (estimate £150 to £250) to Mr. Edward Jacobs.

Cantile holders went for £2,200 (estimate £2,000 to £3,500). A sale cestimate 22,000 to 53,500). A sale of English and Continental ceramics made £63,408, with 18 per cent unsold. Steamin pain £4,500 (estimate £3,000 to £4,000) for a Sevret-patient gamiture of two vases and a bearing dist, each painted with lovers in a rustic sening on a blea-du-rol ground.

At Sotheby's a book sale made £32,791; with less than 1 per cent unsold. The second edition of 1753 of John Pine's The Tangenty Hangings of the House of Lords, with 18 engraved plates, made £1,000 (estimate £400 to £500). Furniture sale: In a Phillips sale of furniture, witch tousiled £31,020, Bishop paid £320 for a late-seventeenth century oak chest on stand (estimate £500), Two per cent were unsold.

Admiralty Board

The Admiralty Board entertained Vice Admiral B. Landvall, Commander in Chief, Royal Swedish Navy, and Mrs Lundvall at dimer at Admiralty House, Whitehall, last night Mr Fred Mulley, Secretary of State for Defence, presided Those present included:

The Strafford Club met for dinner at the Travellers' Club, Pali Mali, last night. Major General Viscount Monckton of Brenchley presided and Dr D. J. Wetkin was guest-of the club.

Greenwich consecration: The Right Rev Ambrose Weekes (centre) after his consecration as Assistant Bishop of Gibraltar by the Bishop of London, Dr Ellison (right) at the chapel of the Royal Naval College, Greenwich, yesterday. With them is the Bishop of Gibraltar, the Right Rev J. R. Satterthwaite. It is the first time the chapel has been used for such a consecration.

Archaeology report

Egypt: Finds at Saqqara tomb of Horemheb

A third season of excavations has been completed at the Saqqara temb of Horemheb, regent and commander-in-chief of Tutan-thanun and later king. The expedition is sponsored by the Egypt Exploration Society, Lonion, and the National Museum of Authorities at Leiten Holland. lon, and the National Museum of Antiquities at Leiden, Holland.

The main objective this season has been the clearance of the four purial shafts. One in the great courtyard proves to have been used for the interment of a camesside princess and for three other persons. As usual in igyptian tombs of any consequence the interments have been really disturbed, but some intersting burial equipment has been ecovered. This includes a massive old earting, with an openwork lessign showing an Egyptian king as proved to be a splendid lewel. A fine heart scarab, incribed for two persons, also dating from the Ramesside period, ives the names of two other companies of the tumb.

Quantities of gold leaf in the ebris give additional proof that he burials were rich and important. Three Mycenaean vases, reonstructed from small fragments and scattered in the chambers, rould prove of considerable interstood from a damble context, and noticy in the tomb; this is likelies from a damble context, and noticy in the tomb; this is likelies from a damble context, and noticy in the tomb; this is likelies from a damble context, and noticy in the tomb; this is likelies from a damble context, and noticy in the tomb; this is likelies from a damble context, and noticy in the tomb; this is likelies from a damble context, and noticy in the tomb; this is likelies from a damble context, and noticy in the study. Antiquities at Leiden, Holland. nould prove of value in the study Egyptian ceramics now being adertaken on an international

Two small shafts, franking the incipal cult chapel of the tomb, ere reused in the thirtieth dyntty and early Prolemaic period fourth century BC). Hundreds of the labourers were found here. te labourers, were found here, te main shaft of the tomb in the cond courtyard leads to two

ites of rooms.
One was designed for Horembeb
uself but was never occupied
the great official since on his cession to the throne a royal mb was prepared for him in the



The gold earring found at Horemheb's tomb.

Valley of the Kings at Thebes. The other was presumably made for the burial of his wife.

The underground chambers at the bottom of the shaft are of impressive propositions, and to some extent are modelled on royal prototypes. The sarcophagus chamber designed for the wife is barrel-vaulted, and has a number of curious architectural features, including a painted cavetto cornice supported on three truncated columns with scalloped capitals, on the western edge of the sarcophagus pit. Just before the work finished for the sc. son we entired along the the burial chambers is largely intact, and bears a number Valley of the Kings at Thebes.

of impressions of the Necropolis seal: the jackal-headed gott Anubis recumbent on a shrine, with nine bound captives below. Objects found in the corridor include an alabaster vase inscribed for Amenophis. III. The royal name containing the hated "Amen" element was obliterated on this vessel in the reign of his son and successor, Aknenaten.

A cartouche-plaque of Tutank-hamun's successor, Aknenaten, A cartouche-plaque of Tutank-hamun's successor, Ay, and stamped jar handles of Horemheb as king, also give rise to interesting, chronological problems. Even more intriguing are objects of Mutnodimet, wife of Horemheb (he seems to have married her at his succession) and possibly sister of Neferbit. These include a funerary text which may indicate that although Queen of Egypt she was buried in the Saqqara tomb which had been prepared by her husband when he was a private citizen.

A number of historical problems concerning the position of Horemheb in relation to the succeeding Ramesside kings still await solution. There are indications that Horemheb was regarded in a sense as their ancestor. Part of his Saqqara tomb was embellished in the Ramesside period to provide a centre for the cult of the deified Horemheb: some of the plests of the cult and their families, are commemorated in the tomb.

After the completion of the excavation next season our final task will be to prepare for publication the wealth of reliefs, inscriptions and objects recovered from the great tomb. As well as new information on Reyptian history, religion and art the tomb of Horemheb has provided for the first time the plan of a funerary monument of a high official whose main administrative activities centred on the region of Memphis in the reign of Tutankhamun.

By Dr Geoffrey T. Martin, field director of the Expedition and lecturer in Expedition and lecturer in Expedition and lecturer in Expedition.

C Times Newspapers Ltd. 1977.

University news

Science report

Zoology: African elephants' decline

parks of Uganda has declined by four fifths. According to an account by Dr Robert May in Naure, in the lane 1920s 70 per cent of Uganda was populated by elephants, but by the 1960s they were to be found in-only 17 per cent of the area, That led to the establishment of optional parks to establishment of national parks to preserve the species, but their numbers have consumed to de-

The chief reason for the decline has been positing for ivory. The

posching, according to researchers in the field, has been doubly destructive because of the selection of the older elephants as the main targets. Elephants naturally form family groups, each of which is jed by a "mestarch". But because the matriarchs are older and have larger tusks they are the most likely to be killed by poschers.

Deprived of their natural leaders, the elephant families band together to large anarchic herds. That results in dense groups la limited areas, so the depleted pop-

the proportionate increase in resources. Dr May attributes the particularly steep decline in Ugandant elephants to the decline in the tourist industry in Uganda. Where the national parks are needed as a tourist attraction, he points out, tiere is more incentive to prevent poaching on the viidlife. By Nature-Times News Service. Source: Nature, July 21 (268, 196; 1977). O Nature-Times News Service,

PROFESSOR

J.A.V.BUTLER Research in physical

Professor John Affired Valen-tine Burler; FRS, FRIC, Emer-tus Professor of Physical Chemistry at London Univer-sity, who died on July 16, aged 78: was a polymath. He was sity, who thed on July 16, ased 76; was a polymeth. He was born in 1899 and educated in the Midlands taking his first; degree in chemistry at Barmings ham University. After teaching for a short time in Swensea he jound the staff of Edinburgh University and became one of the oustanding physical chemists of his ing. His textbook. Chemical Thermodyna book. Chemical Thermodyna mics has had an exceptionall long and useful life for scientific work. From 1941 mail 1944 be

Scientific Office in Washington, After the wer he worked in the Courtanid. Institute of the Middlesex Hospital and then was appointed to the Chester Research Institute at the Royal. Camper Hospital where he became Professor of physical chemistry in the University of London.

Professor Butler and his team studied the fundamental espects of the cancer problem particularly the nature and function of the proteins in the cell implems. He was effected

In addition to his research work he edited Propess in Biophysics and Molecular Biology, wrote books on the wider aspects of science includ-ing Science and Human Life. Inside the Living Cell and his last book Modern Biology and its Human Implications.

He married Margaret Lon is an expert in agricultural pro-blems and the other a distin-guished pathologist. His only daughter is a psychiatrist. The Burlers were interested in the arts especially painting Professor Butler was himself at amateur painter his works showed a vivid imagination

LORD ASHDOWN

Lord Ashdown, who died at July 23, at the age of 65 had been a joint treasurer of the

don sres.
Accord Sliverstone, born on September 28, 1911, was educated at Lianelli County Intermediate School and at University College, Swanson.

University College, Swanson.

After war service in the Army, in which he estained the rank of Major, he was called to the Her by the Middle Temple in 1953, In 1955, in contested the partiamentic seat of East Ham North, bet without success. Thereaften his political

activities were largely confined to the National Union of Conservative and Unionist Associawell-known and much liked figure. By virtue of a period and expensive remperament, as well as an econo-mind, he was admirably coined to the role. in which he proved so accomin which he proved a accom-phished that of party treasurer, or collector, and custodian of funds. First appointed by Mr. Heath, he was equally in the confidence of Mrs Thatcher. Privately he had achieved prominence, respect and fortens as one of the more imaginative and responsible property

and responsible property developers. He was associated with the Church Comissioners in the redevelopment of a large section of the South side of Victoria Street; Westminster, including the creation of the Piazza in front of Westminster. Cathedral. This scheme which reopened a view of the cathedral, obscured for the previous 70 years, was widely praised as a major contribution to Europian Architectural Heritage Year. He was knighted in 1964 and created a

hire peer in 1974.

He married, in 1937, Lilian King, Lady Ashdown, who was made a CBE in 1971, is a former chairman of the case. Conservative Party's South Eastern Area. There were no

MR ELIOT FETTE NOYES

Mr Eliot Fette Noves, the American architect and indus-trial designer, has died at his home at New Canago, Connecti cut, at the age of 66.

His principal works are his.

Bubble Houses of concrete in

Bubble Houses of concrete in Florida; his own house at New Canaan, and the designs he made for IBM office equipment and for Mobil Oil petrol pumps. His work is familiar to many Americans—though not always his name—because of his influence on a wide range of products medufactured by his corporate clients. He was ever a champion of clean industrial a champion of clean industrial design.
As an architect be designed.

As an architect be designed. World's Fair pavilions for IBM, and Westinghouse and the United Nations pavilion at Erno 67 in Montreal.

He was born in 1910, the second son of Atherton Noyes, a professor of Facilish at Harvard-University. He grew no Cambridge. Massachusetts. in Cambridge, Mossachusetts, and later graduated from Marvard School of Archivecture. He then worked for a time in the offices of Walter Granus and Marcel Brever in Cambridge. bridge, Massachuseus, before being appointed head of the new department of industrial Moreen Art in New York Morest Art in New York.

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1947 on \$400 a month retainer
from IBM. Since 1956 he had

been largely responsible for IBM's entire line of office

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BUSINESS NEWS

Mr George Turnbull, former managing director of British Leyland, is not joining the National Enterprise Board as widely

forecast, but has accepted an offer from

Iran to help to develop its emerging motor industry. He has just returned from a

similar assignment in South Korea.

In a short statement yesterday Mr
Turnbull, who is 50, said he would be

taking up a two-year appointment with the Iran National Company, in Teheran, as consultant to the Chairman and men-

aging director. Iran National produces about 120,000

tran National produces about 120,000 cars a year from British-made kits of parts based on the Chrysler Hunter and Avenger models—the largest single export contract in the British motor industry. It also assembles some 2,000 Mercedes buses and 5,000 light commercial vehicles.

The Department of Industry made infortal avenues are the Third Part of the Commercial vehicles.

mal approaches to Mr. Turnbull while he was in Kores. They were particularly keen to ensure that his production expertise should stay in this country, and strengthen the National Enterprise Board's team dealing with Printle Levland.

dealing with British Leyland.

But it was not until a fortnight agonearly four months after his return from

South Korea-that a formal approach was made to him by Mr Leslie Murphy, newly appointed chairman of the NEB. Mr Turn-

appointed chairman of the NEB. Mr Turn-bull, who lives in Ibiza, flew to London to spend a day with Mr Murphy.

News of this meeting brought angry private reactions from senior management at British Leyland, who apparently re-sented another "master" being added to the already complicated chain of com-

mand stretching from their Marylebone headquarters to the NEB, the Department

of Industry, and even the Cabinet Office.

Faced with the possibility of resigna-tions at a time when the group was just

Dollar falls

to new low

By Caroline Atkinson

against mark

The dollar had a bad day or

the European exchanges yester-day, falling to an all-time closing low against the Deutsche mark of 2.248.

Late tracing in Frankfurt

saw even lower rates of around 2.2473. The dollar also closed

down against the Swiss franc at 2.3830, and against the French franc at 4.809.

Dealers attributed the dollar's

continued weakness to remarks nucle recently by Mr Michael Blumental, American Treasury

Secretary. He was reported as saying that he would be pre-pared to see the dollar drop even further and would not

ment on the right rate for the dollar. Dr Hans Apel, German Finance Minister, said on Sun-day that it was undervalued.

Germany's trade surplus declined slightly in June, More significant was the news

that the 1976 surplus has now

been revised upwards to DM8,450m (\$3,750m), and that,

far from being halved as pre-dicted in 1977, the results for

the first six months of the year are trochanged from the same

period last year.

The British Government has

continued to push the pound down with the dollar. Sterling's

effective rate closed at 60.6, another low for the new

advocate official support.

Iran steps in with a post for former Leyland

chief while NEB hesitates over making offer

Mr Turnbull yesterday : I could not delay

Ryder's sudden resignation from the chair-manship—Mr Murphy delayed making a formal offer of a job.

This delay probably cost the country Mr Turnbull's services. He had been nego-

tisting with the Iranians for more than two months and when they heard of the

NEB negotiations they put pressure on him

to sign immediately.

Mr Turnbull said yesterday: "It would

How special constable? Page 19

Sourt fixes median line for inglo-French oil rights the Western Approaches

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Britain's claim in the Western Approaches used the established principle of drawing a median line equidistant from points on the two opposing coastlines. For the deep waters in the Western Approaches, Britain used the Isles of Scilly as a reference point, but the French claimed that this produced an unfair result.

chairman, agreed that the posi-tion of the Scilly Isles would have produced an unfair median line and decided that produced a point half way between the islands and Land's End should be used.

British Government officials said this would not create a precedent for future arbitration hearings but the judgment will nevertheless be read with interest by the Irish. They are negotiating with the Foreign Office over the form of orbitration to be used to settle the two oil boundary disputes between frekand and Britain. The court hes also settled the difficult question of the Channel Islands. It has decided on a median line down the centre of the Channel unaffected by the position of the Channel Islands, while providing for a separate British exploration zone around the

Boundaries to the north and north-west have been settled by france will have to begin new megoriations to decide the route of that line between the Channel Islands and the Cher-

tion court's ruling could also have repercussions for a second dispute with the Irish over oil fights around Rockall, which lies in the Atlantic west of the lies in the li D'Orsay, told a press conference

yesterday. He said the line drawn by the court gave France 5,744 square kilometres more in the Atlantic with promising oil potential than the limits pro-posed by Britain. The French also received nearly 3,000 square kilometres more in the region of the Channel Islands than Britain was prepared to

M de la Charrière believed the British thesis on the prin-ciple of equidistance between the Scillies and the island of Ushant, off Finistere, as the basis for drawing the line of shelf between the two countries would have produced inequitable results.

"Owing to the protrading position of the Scillies, it was necessary to achieve an equivable line by different methods, notably the drawing of a bisector between two lines representing the general drift of the coasts of the two countries bordering the Channel", he

said.

The court did not adopt the French proposal entirely but it set up a line substantially to the north of the British line. It also accepted the argument that the Channel Islands are an enclave but extended the radius of this enclave to 12 nautical miles instead of the six miles suggested by France. It made this ruling on the

grounds that the Channel Islands already have a 12-mile

Biggest offshore flow from Brae field well

By Our Energy Correspondent several for the well drilled in the North Sea The fi has been completed by the Pan natural Ocean group on the Bras field, average

a day. The excellent results from this well are almost certain to ensure that the field is put into production using two-or even three platforms. Earlier this month Pan Ocean

put out a statement giving the result of testing on the first three productive zones in the well. Testing is now complete and the rig Odin Drill is moving on to a ninth well. Pan Ocean said it was still

at the beginning of the looking for another rig so that confirmation drilling on the confirmation drilling on the field could be stepped up. The difficult geological conditions government revenues or on Brae have produced some extremely prolific wells and

ayment questioned by Reed chairman

this request was to assist Reed to International in Overcoming technical difficulties in making

a payment to Lord Ryder in a year in which two other direc-

tors had retired and, although

they regarded it as unusual, agreed to help."

Reed International said last night that CFP had acted in the

night that CFP had acted in the belief that Mr Billingsley was speaking on behalf of the Reed group. "The board of Reed International states emphatically that Mr Billingsley had no grounds or authority whatsoever for seeking CFP's help in paying an additional sum to Lord Ryder from Reed's funds."

CFP made the payment to

CFP made the payment to Lord Ryder in August, 1975, through an offshore company. Reed International said last

might that its investigations had shown that Mr Billingsley recorded in a "memo to file" dated December 15, 1975, that

the ad hoc committee ser up by Reed International to look into the question of Lord Ryder's retirement had agreed

that for tax purposes Mr Bil-

Cars 100,000 payment to Lord Ryder through CFP. The total cost to Reed, the memo said, would be Cars 110,000

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Reed International catego

rically denies the contents of

this memo. The group stated: "The other directors of Recd

should arrange a

for the exploration consortium. The field, rich in associated natural gas, produced an average of 1,267 cu if of gas average of 1,267 tu ft of sas for each barrel of oil tested at the last well.

Five producing zones were Pan Ocean is owned by tested and between them pro Marathon Oil. Other members duced a flow of 33,122 barrels of the consortium include Ask

Oil Corporation, Bow Velley
Exploration, LL and B, Saga
Petroleum Siebens Oil and Gas
and Sunningdale Oils.

An independent environmental study on the impact of developing the Beatrice field, only 12! miles off the coast in the Moray Firth, said it could find no conclusive reason why local fishing interests would be better served by the construction of a pipeline from the field to the shore.

Fishermen have objected to plans by Mesa Patroleum to load up to 100,000 barrels of oil a day from the field directly

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The Bank of England was in
the market briefly to hold the
pound's rate steady against the
dollar. This closed at \$1.7199, measura up two points on Friday's close. The yen has not been so strong recently as the German mark and other European cur-recties. It closed down slightly at 264.3 yen to the dollar yes-

It is possible that the Bank of Japan has decided to slow the appreciation of the year. When the dollar began to fall last month, the yen did rise especially fast against it. So the yen could now be marking time with a fall of the yen could now be marking time. time while the dollar's realign-ment against the German and Swiss strong currencies con-

However, it is interesting to note that whereas the German currency has appreciated by about 40 per cent since Smithsonian five and a half years ago, the Japanese rise has been much less. This is a measure of the central bank control rather than of the sentiment of the foreign exchange markets.

have been a different story if there had been more time, but I have still not emerging from another crisis—Lord Producers sceptical of American call for textile pact 'departures'

Geneva, July 25

An American proposal for renewing the Multi Fibre Arrangement (MFA)—the international textiles agreement-for four years has come immediately after the failure of a three-week round of negotistions in the 50-nation Gatt tex-

tiles committee. This would be achieved by means of a protocol opened for signature from December 15 and providing for "jointly agreed reasonable departures" from MFA terms,

Mr Michael B. Smith, the chief United States negotiator, said the proposal is supported COUNTYIES PEDFESSIVING SDOI per cent of world textile trade

While all parties to the negotiations were agreed on the necessity of renewal, the phrase "reasonable departures" is being interpreted by some ex-porting countries, headed by Brazil and India, and including Latin American, eastern Euro-pean countries and Spain, as a

device for introducing restric-tive amendments through the back door in the form of the protocol They are pressing instead for further negotiations on a bi-

by tectionism at the cost of intertiles committee before the agreement runs out at the end Their assessment of this

latest round of negotiations diverges considerably from the "positive outcome" mentioned by the delegates of the United States, the EEC, Hongkong and South Korea. Mr Rangasayee Ramakrishna

(India) told a news conference that the Community appeared to them to be seeking a waiver from the MFA aimed at keeping imports at the 1976 level, and covering almost the entire textiles trade, with nil growth

"We feel this is a major departure from the MFA," he said. "They are trying to introduce very restrictive amendments through the back restrictive door. The negotiation has been useful but inconclusive."

For the Community, Tran van Tinh said at his news conference that he was en-couraged by the fact that almost all participants "expressed the desire to renew the agreement

in one way or another.

He pointed to the warning by Mr Olivier Long, president of the textiles committee and director-general of Gatt, that if the agreement were not re-newed the result would be pro-

received a formal offer from the NEB, and could not delay my decision any longer. I telephoned Mr Murphy yesterday to inform him of this.

"I spent a week in Iran and was very impressed with the production facilities there and their plans for substantial expansion and entry into world export

Was ir simply a case of another valuable British asset being snapped up by Middle East oil money? "Of course, the remuneration is very good, but that's not the only consideration. Like South Korea this is something I can get my teeth into without too many restrictions". Did he not have any pangs of conscience about helping to set up an international rival for the ailing British motor industry? "Of course some people will say that, but I believe that is a short-sighted view. The world is becoming smaller all the time, and in an inter-national business like the motor industry, cannot shut yourself away from

For instance, I believe we are taking the wrong approach to Japanese motor imports. Instead of trying to shut them out, we should say 'you are welcome, but if you want to sell more vehicles here, you must invest in setting up British-based assembly and manufacturing plants "".

He said Iran National planned to increase production from 120,000 cars a year

to 200,000 in the next two years. They employ about 10,000 workers at present.

A number of major British component groups, including GKN, have plans to set up manufacturing plants in Iran, but these have been put back by delays in Iran National's expansion programme.

This has resulted in some loss of con-

fidence on the part of British companies, and it will be Mr Turnbull's job to put the programme back on schedule and restore this confidence.

The Community was immedi-

stely starting bilateral negotia-

tions with some 22 countries "so that all conditions will

exist for signing the protocol",

· Saving the agreement meant

putting order into the textile

business, he argued. Commun

ity officials had emphasized

throughout that the 80 per cent

tonnage rise in textile imports into the EEC between 1973 and

1976 had left them little room

imports, some 3,500 factories

had closed in those four years

with a loss of half a million jobs—15 per cent of the exist-

ing total—mainly in areas of member countries where po

alternative work was available. Mr Smith (United States)

pointed out that if the MFA were not renewed "it will

strengthen the hand of protec-

tionism". The agreement would enable orderly expansion of the

textiles trade and avoid market disruption; without it; nations would have to act to protect

The MFA had functioned

reasonably well over the four years, and its continuation was

desirable for coping with what was "one of the most contenti-

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Government intervenes in RTZ cartel' case

By Desmond Quigley

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After diplomatic pressure by four governments, the British Government intervened yesterday in the legal battle between Rio Tinto-Zinc and Westinghouse Electric Corporation con-cerning a multimillion dollar uranium dispute.

Mr Peter Gibson, appearing for the Attorney General, said in the Court of Appeal that evidence RTZ executives may be forced to give before a United States court concerning an alleged international uranium cartel might affect relations with four foreign governments. Representations had been made to the Foreign Office by to the Foreign of foreign governments.

Later it became apparent that the Government might become more deeply involved. The Foreign Office said: "This intervention has been made in order that the Government order that the Government should have time to consider a number of aspects of possible public interest bearing on the

Last night it was reliably learnt that the Australian, Canadian, French and South African Governments had put strong diplomatic pressure on Britain for it to prevent RTZ from being forced to testify.

Australia and Canada have dready passed laws preventing their own companies from pro-viding any material to a United States grand jury investigation into the alleged cartel, while the French organization alleged to have been a member of the cartel is a quasi-government body.

South Africa already has stringent laws which strictly limit what can be divulged about the country's uranium

mining interests in Australia, Canada, Namibia, South Africa one major company aileged to have been a member of the uranium cartel not protected so far by government decree.

The foreign representations to the effect that if RTZ were not protected their own actions would be nullified.

Although RTZ is fighting against evidence in a case in which Westinghouse is being sued by several public utility companies in the power sector over the failure to deliver contracted uranium, the evidence obtained could be used in the well as against RTZ and 28 other defendants who are being sued by Westinghouse.

Westinghouse alleges, in part, that it was unable to meet its contractual obligations because it was the victim of an international urantum cartel.

Yesterday seven senior RTZ executives, headed by Sir Mark Turner, the chairman, had an application to the Court of Appeal dismissed. The application sought a stay of having to give evidence before an American preliminary court pending an appeal to the pending on appeal to the House of Lords. The Attorney General had supported the application to the Court of

Appeal,
During the hearing Mr Gloson said that no decision had
been made whether the Crown
would take part in the House of Lords appeal, but there was at least a nossibility that the Crown would wish to be

Despite the fact that they lost the Court of Appeal judyment, RIZ executives in the afternoon refused to answer questions, anart from giving their names and addresses, at the resumed court hearing at the United States Embassy in London.

The executives have applied to the Appellate Committee of the House of Lords for a stay, peading the full hearing of their appeal.

Meanwhile, Westinghouse is to seek an order from the British courts compelling the executives to answer questions. Despite the fact that they

executives to answer questions.

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CBI guidance on pay goes to companies this weekend members in future negotiations.

By Peter Hill

Industrial Correspondent

weekend receive guidance from the Confederation of British Industry on dealing with pay claims when phase two of incomes restraint ends on July

The employers' organization fears that in the first few weeks of free collective bargaining union negotiators may attempt to make up the ground lost in two years of pay restraint and large serilements could estab-lish a norm which would start

The employers' body is already well advanced with the establishment of a data bank to store information on claims and settlements. This will provide the CBI with the basis of the advisory and counselling service it will be offering to

ndustrial Correspondent CBI leaders, who will be Member companies will this having talks with the TUC's reckend receive guidance from economic committee on Thurseconomic commutes on Thursday, do not plan to set out a proposed level of settlements. The guidance document will repeat Mr Healey's statement last week, stressing the need for the overall rise in earnings to be limited to 10 per cent to ensure that inflation is reduced to single figures by next year.

Furthermore it will stress the importance of observing the twelve-month rule between pay settlements since many phase two agreements have still to be worked out. There is a fear that the annual Congress in September may overturn the TUC economic committee's en-dorsement of the need for strict adherence to the twelve-month regulation.

Chambers' warning, page 18

The FT index: 437.2+5.7

The Times index: 180.78+1.66

How the markets moved

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Barclays 3p to 278p

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Gold rose \$1.5 an ounce to close at \$146.375.

SDR-\$ was 1.17789 on Monday, while SDR-£ was 0.684780.

Commodities: Reuter's index was at 1535.2 (previous 1533.7).

MANCHESTER GARAGES LTD. cotton yarn (Ford Main Dealers)

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Curb on Egypt Imports of cotton yarn from Egypt will be limited to a total

Mr Billingsley: "approach to

bers of the committee, and the company secretary, have each, quice independently, refused this account of the proceedings

A statement by Lord Ryder said: "I have read the statement issued today by Reed International, While I have no

personal knowledge of many of

the matters referred to, I note

that the statement is in no way

at variance with the statement

I made on July 11, 1977, to

which I have nothing further

Canadian company."

of the committee.

228 topies for the second half of this year, the Department of Trade announced last This represents the British

share of the overall European Economic Community quota of 4,814 tonnes of yarn imports from Egypt. The move follows a sharp increase in Egyptian exports of cotton yarn to Britain in the past few months. Cotton yarn imports from Egypt amounted to 118 tonnes in 1975, more than doubling to

1,751 tannes last year, and 100:

in the first live months.

Sterling rose 2 points to \$1.7199 The effective exchange rate 0.1 to 60.6. On other pages Business appointments

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Equities made a firm showing.

Gilt-edged securities trading was extremely thin.

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Reports, pages 20, 21 and 22 Relational Lid. Different rates and other torvign currency business.

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Turbine talks inconclusive

A meeting hold yesterday on the future of the turbine generator industry ended inconclusively. The meeting had been called by Mr Glyn England, thairman of the Central Electricity Generating Board, which wants to see a rationalization of the industry. rationalization of the industry. Among those at the meeting

were Lord Stafford of Stone, chairman of GEC and Sir Arnold Weinstock, managing director, Sir James Woodeson, chairman of Reyrolle Parsons and Mr Duncan McDonald, chief executive. Mr England is meeting Clarke Chapman and Babcock

making company.



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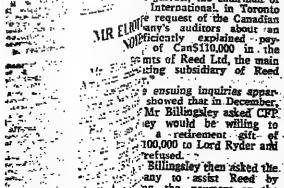
Salient points from the accounts for the year ended 31st March 1977

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Earnings per Share 1.26p Dividends per Share 3.74 Dividends Cover £5,088.028 £4,683 557 Shareholders Funds Net Asset value per Share 44.170 Registered Office:-

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Mr Boardman, who has sent a memorandum on pay to presi-dents of all affiliated chambers, said that another problem was that the Government's "guid-ance figure" of 10 per cent-it wants national earnings to increase by no more than 10 per cent over the next 12 months—sounded far too much like a norm. The danger was that everyone would treat it as a minimum to which they were entitled.

The ABCC memorandum argues that in order to remedy some of the distortions that have emerged in the first two phases of pay policy it may be essential to reward skill, effort and responsibility with increases substantially in excess

of 10 per cent. Doubtless there are some industries or occupations where increases averaging over 10 per cent would be justified and others where much lower percentages would be fair.".

Sounding a warning on productivity deals, the ABCC says the inflationary potential of pay deals which increase earnings by more than 10 per cent may be offset by greater produc-

tivity.

"The danger is that such settlements may be used as a precedent for equivalent or larger increases elsewhere which are not accompanied by comparable productivity gains. The association urges employers to stick to the 12-month rule and to work on the assumption that the Government's target of single-figure inflation by next year will be

"Employers are entitled to expect a similar degree of con-fidence from their employees, but in view of the unfortunate record of comparable govern-ment predictions in the recent past there may be some reluc-tance on the part of employ-ees to settle on that basis." But rather than trying to incorporate some notional higher level of inflation into new settlements, the association says, it would be less damaging to agree that there could be an interim review if the infla-

tion programme collapsed.

A strong warming against the dangers of resorting to protectionist trade policies was issued

sides of the Atlantic were pres-

sing governments to restrain

imports, Herr Haferkamp said,

began its work of preparing for legislation on computer

privacy one year ago, expects

its report to be published within the next six months".

have been received to the com-

mittee's invitation to interested

organizations and individuals

A three-month study of data-

protection costs by the Pactel

consultancy, London, which was commissioned by the committee, is due to be delivered later this week. This consists

of a survey of the extra costs

to computer system operators of complying with a variety of

A number of computer users (selected by the committee) in

tants. They went on to deter-mine for each user the cost

of complying with a set of hypothetical requirements.

ment on statutory controls to safeguard computer informa-

The committee was estab-bed to advise the Govern-

data-protection

the public and private sectors installed were interviewed by the consul- Plymouth.

to give evidence.

hypothetical

requirements.

More than 260 responses

crisis on both

From Michael Hornsby

Brussels, July 25

Hopes fade for heavy water reactor By Kenneth Owen Technology Correspondent Recent indications that the Government is likely to drop

the Steam-Generating Heavy-Water Reactor (SGHWR)-the type it thrust upon the Central Electricity Generating Board two years ago—were confirmed yesterday by Mr Alexander Eadle, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Energy. Answering questions after he had given the opening address in London at an international conference on solar building technology, Mr Eadie referred to the choice of reactor for the next generation of nuclear

power stations.
"Ar this stage", he said, "it is quite clear it is between the AGR (advanced gas-cooled

Milan strike

called over

closure fear

Food industry trades unions

teday called for a strike and

demonstrations tomorrow by

the workforce at the Milan

headquarters of Unidal, the state-owned confectionery and

ice cream manufacturer, in pro-

Unidal was formed last year

through a merger between Motta and Alemagna. Its

annual meeting last month was told that the 1976 loss amounted to 22,955m lire (£15.3m) compared to losses

by Mona and Alemagna in 1975

The management proposed to

write down the capital of 25,768m lire and then recon-

struct it to 48,500 lire through

Italian press and on radio stated that Istituto per la Ricostruzione Industriale, which controls Unidal through

the financial holding corpora-tion SME, would be unable to

find the funds to take up the

company intended this week to

announce, with government agreement its liquidation.

difficulties in a number of sectors, of which the two latest

examples to receive promin-ence are the steel company

Unidal's management attri-

EEC Commissioner stresses dangers of protectionism

Privacy committee to report within 6 months

modern,

butes much of its predicament

to trade union resistance to a rationalization programme.

Speaking on the eve of a review of trade relations with the

here today by Herr Wilhelm
Haferkamp, the EEC Commissioner in charge of external resistance.

Haferkamp said that current economic problems could be dealt with without recourse to dealt with without recourse to had any particular country in doctrines which, under different mind, Herr Haferkamp's remarks were seen as being directed towards the

turn us to the chaos of restric-tions and beggar-my-neighbour

Accepting that economic con-

ditions were unusually difficult

and that unemployment had

stifled trade and kept millions reached dangerous levels in Unemployment would be on the dole 40 years ago is now many industries, Herr Hafer-being presented in a new guise, kamp said the Commission reduced by protectionism, Herr

Computer news

tion in the private and public sectors. Sir Norman Lindop 18

A distributed network of 14 minicomputers at locations throughout Britain which will be linked to an existing Univaciatio mainframe at Wythen-

1110 mainframe at Wythen-shawe, near Manchester. is heing implemented for Shell UK Oil under a film contract by MCS Mini-Computer Systems of Maidenheath, Berkshire.

Known as the Shell Terminal

Automation Computerization system (STAC), the network's

two pilot systems have been

installed at Wandsworth and

The 14 minicomputers will be installed at Shell's 14 group terminals and will bandle tele-

phone orders and inquiries.
Orders for various products
are separated automatically for
routing in a number of ways:
to a specific vehicle type; to

Shell Oil's network

Italsider and Alfa-Romeo.

IRI already faces increasing

The reports suggested the

rights issue.

tionist trade policies was issued United States and Japan by here today by Herr Wilhelm EEC foreign ministers, Herr Haierkamp, the EEC Commis- Haierkamp said that current

the 1930s".

rights issue. But weekend reports in the

totalling 35,707m lire.

to be put into liquidation.

From John Earle

Rome, July 25

reactor) and the PWR (pres-surized water reactor)."

The PWR is a type of light-water reactor which is of American design. Two years ogo the CEGB wished to order LWR units which would have been built under licence in Britain, but the Government decided in favour of the British-designed SGHWR, despite the fact that no commer-cial-size version of this had

been built. The National Nuclear Corporetion has recently com-pleted an assessment for Mr Benn, Secretary of State for Energy, of the three types of reactor that conceivably could be chosen for the next round of power stations: the AGR, the PWR and the SGHWR.

Britain's AGR stations suf-

fered technical problems and delays in construction and were delays in construction and were much more expensive to build than forecast, but have proved satisfactory in operation. Unlike the PWR, however, there is no "standard" AGR design.

In his opening address to the conference, organized jointly by Unesco and the North East London Polytechnic, Mr Eadie said:

"For the past 20 years nuclear power has provided us in the United Kingdom with a steadily growing proportion of our electricity (about 13 per cent at present).

"But there is active debate

about the implications of largescale development of nuclear fission—we do not yet know if the use of fast reactors will be

publicly acceptable — and nuclear fusion is unlikely to be available on a large scale until well into the next century? Thus we needed to examine other alternatives, Mr Eadie said. "In Britain we have embarked on an extensive programme of research and development into renewable sources of energy to determine what contribution they would make to our energy economy."

Government spending on solar energy research amounted

solar energy research amounted to about fom over a four-year period, Mr Eadie said. Water and space heating showed the greatest potential: return; the use of focusing devices to concentrate solar radiation, boil water and hence operate large power systems did not appear attractive.



Accountants formed the 86th Livery Company of the City of London yesterday when Sir Robin Gillett, Lord Mayor of London, formally passed letters parent to the first Master of the Worshipful Company of Chartered Accountants. Letters of patent were presented in the Mansion.

Mr Kenneth Sharp, senior Government acc ant; Mr Alan Hardcastle of Peat, Marwick Mitchell; the Lord Mayor, Sir Robin Gillert, the Master of the new Worshipful Company; Mr J. M. Keith, and the company's first clerk, Mr Oliver Sunderland of Cork Gully, displaying

Treasury decides to waive final tranche of Iran loan

By David Blake The Treasury has decided not to take the final \$400m (5234m) of the \$1,200m loan promised by Iran in 1974. The decision, said to be by mutual agreement, reflects the much healthier state of Britain's reserves and Iran's move from a very large surplus to a bare balance on its

current account.

Although Whitehali officials were stressing yesterday that the Iranians had made prorisions for the loan, it has been beset by doubts and delays ever since the details were concluded in July, 1974.
Drawings totalling \$800m

selective restraints were per-mitted under existing world trade rules, and these should be strictly adhered to. Although he denied that he

French. Recent speeches by M.

Prime Minister, as well as statements by French indus-

or to a contract distributor. Extensions to include vehicle

fleet maintenance control and

further marketing information

MCS Mini-Computer Systems

Thorn TV Rentals recently

completed the introduction of

an on-line inquiry system based on the company's 1,000 shops and 13 area accounts offices. A

total of about 3.5 million custo-

mers are served by the com-peny's DER, Radio Rentals and Multibroadcast rental services.

Central ICL computers at Swindon, Wiltshire, are linked to Model 7502 terminals, video units and printers at the area accounts offices. Account in-

quiries by customers at the shops are handled via telephone

calls to the local area accounts office, and thence to the com-

British Steel Corporation's Scunthorpe division head-

BSC's video typing

is a subsidiary of MCS Inc of Elmsford, New York.

TV rental system

are planned.

trialists have been strongly

protectionist in tone.

Batte, the French

have been made by the National Water Council under the terms of the agreement, but on at least one occasion a drawing was postponed from its originally scheduled date.

Treasury officials say that the

decision does not mean that the Government will also waive its next drawing from the Inter-national Monetary Fund. This becomes available around the end of August and will be

A decision on the drawing will be made next month although the possibility of postponing it is obviously being

Europe' would amount to economic capitulation, with

grave social consequences"

Surrender to protectionist pres sures extermelly would inevit-

of input and output of more than 100 per cent and more than

VTS video typing system based on the installation designed for

the Unilever organization by

A second system is to be in-troduced by the product market-ing unit in Scunthorpe next month; this will include an ex-periment with remote-station

CalComp's French deal

Mini-informatique et de Sys-

temes) of France to purchase

SEMS Solar minicomputers for use in CalComp's graphics sys-

The American company also

has rights to manufacture and market the SEMS minicompu-

ters as part of its range of products, while SEMS can use

CalComp's service and mainten-ance facilities in the United States and Canada.

California Computer Products

per cent respectively from introduction of a Unicom/

framework for

takeover of the banks

been received by all the clear-ing banks in reply to their £750,000 anti-nationalization strongly opposed to nationaliza-tion and 3.6 per cent favoured the Labour Party's proposals. Readers of The Times voted

The strongest vote for nationalization came from Guardian readers. In favour were 31.4 per cent and 51.4 per cent against. favoured "liberalism in world trade, which is an intelligent withdrawal behind protective liberalism". Temporary and walls or retreat to an 'Island selective restraints were per-

simplify ably intensify the same pressures within the EEC. The international division of Morpeth draft By Nicholas Hirst.

A simple, supplementary statement of the effects of inflation on company profits should be introduced to replace the more complex proposals contained in the Morpeth Committee's exposure draft, Mr John Kirkpatrick, president of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Scotland, said

carefully timed before the crucial meeting tomorrow of the Accounting Standards Committee, the professions joint rule-making body, Mr Kirk-patrick says the Scottish institute is pressing for:

proposals; 3. A realistic recognition of the problems of small businesses,

DoT petition to wind has signed an agreement with SEMS (Societé Européens de

International Bank and Trust Co of the Middle East which operates in Curzon Street, May-fair, is facing a second petition for compulsory winding up, the sented by the Department of

By consent Mr Justice Bright-man adjourned until October 10 the original perition by Prince Fawsi H. Abdullatif, the United Arab Emirates' Ambas-Kenneth Owen | salloged debt of £4,000. sador to Zaire, based on an

90 pc oppose

About 20,000 letters have campaign. Of these 90.5 were 86 per cent against nationaliza-tion and 5.2 per cent for.

Much the strongest level of replies was received as a result of advertising in the Daily Telegraph, Daily Mail and Daily Express.

In each case opposition to

nationalization topped the 94 per cent mark.

Scottish move to

labour, based on increasing specialization, had provided the framework for postwar pros-perity. It would be absurd, for example, for the EEC to pursue a policy of helping the developing countries to build up their economies and then to close Western markets to their

yesterday.
In a letter to his members,

1. The progressive introduction of accounting standard for current cost accounting initially providing for supplementary statements on adjustments for depreciation and cost of sales; 2. Consultation on the revised

up Mayfair bank

High Court treard yesterday. The new petition has been pre-

leadership, by which they mean respect for the grasp their superiors have of com-plex problems and the ability to make solutions clear and simple. Any graduate who thinks his arts degree is of specific value for other than erudite dinner

Business appointments

Y. J. LOVELL (HOLDINGS) LTD.

INTERIM STATEMENT FOR HALF-YEAR TO 31 MARCH, 1977

869 Construction & Allied Trade 3,225 7,906 4,709 48,215 378 47,337 28,179 573 22,756 336 715 612 1,502 635 Group Profit before lazation 1,525 includes export turnover £253,900

The results for the first six months show an overall improvement of 18% on the first six months of last year despite the adverse effect of poor weather conditions on construction progress. The timber section is maintaining the first half-year momentum and the construction companies are now making up ground lost in the winter. As predicted, we are working to a declining order book in the United Kingdom but the Board still anticipates a reasonably satisfactory year. The Directors are pleased to report that the protracted dispute between Portsmouth Council and one of our subsidiary companies has been satisfactorily settled without any significant adverse effect on the company's trading figures now reported.

The Board has decided to introduce the payment of an Interim Dividend and proposes a dividend of 1.5p per share payable on 1 October, 1977, to Ordinary Shareholders on the Register on 26 August, 1977, in respect of the year to 30 September, 1977.

25 July, 1977.

New finance director at **British Sugar Corporation**

Mr Geoffyey Mulcahy has joined the British Sugar Corporation as director of finance.

Mr C. I. Mellor has been made a director of Metal Box. Mr P. G. Walker has retired from the board. Mr R. H. King is to resign from the board on September 30 to become chief executive of Scottish & Newcastle Breweries.

Mr John M. Clay, deputy chairman of Hambros Bank and a director of the Bank of England, will join the board of Wedgwood on Angust 1.

Mr John Tavare, managing director of Wedgwood on Angust 1.

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Mr R. A. Wells has been made managing director of the Turner and Newall alternative materials and fibres unit. Mr J. B. Heron, joint managing director and Mr S. Marks has become personnel director, deaking with development plans. Mr Lucien Wig-

director.

Mr Ken Best has been appointed managing director of Climax Trucks and Mr Stuart Turner becomes managing director of Climax-Conveyancer.

Mr Douglas Strachan, a main

Qualcast (Home and Garden Equipment):

Mr Eric Orbell will delinquish the chairmanship of Leslie & Godwin (UK), to be a Holding board director, dealing with development plans. Mr Lucien Wigdor, development plans and chief executive of Leslie & Godwin (Holdings) has additionally become chairman of Leslie & Godwin (UK).

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Making right decision Lucrative over pensions-

From Mr. Martin Paterson... Sir, Seme three months ago we started a "Pensions Clinic", designed to provide advice by designed to provide advice by way of private interview to about what they should do in respect of the new state scheme. This has given us the scheme. This has given us the comportunity of examining, on behalf of companies using the clinic, a fair number of quotations and reports mostly prepared by life offices and also of learning at first hand how. well informed or otherwise the average employer is about the issues involved and the nature issues involved and the nature of the decision he has to make. It may be of interest to record the experience we have derived from conducting these interviews.

The story that unfolds in nearly every case is the same. The quotation or report the employer gets is built round a proposal to contract out: the alternative course of action is not put forward, namely to participate with appropriate adjustment to the scheme enefits and contributions so that, taking state and private scheme provision together, every employee is at least no worse off and preferably better off than before. Instead of this, the option to participate is usually dismissed on the grounds that the employer's cwn scheme can provide better

From this the employer wrongly refers that the choice. rests between (a) the state scheme, and (b) the private scheme, whereas in practice the two can work very well rogether to provide the overall level of retirement provision, dependants' benefits and so forth, the employer wants to

There is little understanding of the financial risks of con-tracting out. This is because the costs put forward are nor-mally based on assumptions favourable to contracting out, from which it follows that the cost of contracting out will

to see a single quotation which indicates what the cost would be on alternative adverse assumptions which would nor be be on a cost would nor be on a cost would nor be on a cost would not be on a cost would nor be on a cost would not mally be required as a matter of course for the proper evaluation of most business projects involving an element of risk.
The general mood of opti-

The general mood of optimism about the cost of contracting out is not, however, reflected in the terms quoted for people leaving service. Typically the employer is advised to revalue the pensions he is liable to pay, because of contracting out, at 3½ per cent per annum compounded up to retirement. Presumably, this is because to revalue in line with national average earnings—the national average earnings—the alternative course, and the one adopted in the government scheme-would be too risky. If too risky, one is tempted to ask: why contract out in the first place?

If the interviews we have

held are representative, then one is left with the conclusion that only about one employer in 50 has been given a fair chance to consider whether participation might not suit him better than contracting out. In other words, the average employer has not been given an alternative proposal to look at which would enable him to make up his corn mind. him to make up his own mind rather than have it made up for him by the so-called

experts.

They say that time is now getting late for making a decision. Perhaps it is. But employers who feel that they are under pressure in this respect should remember that it is better to each the vight. it is better to catch the right train and be late than to travel earlier and arrive at the wrong MARTIN PATERSON, Chairman

Martin Limited, 10 Hertford Street. Park Lame, London, W1Y 8JK.

yen exchange rate.

property transfer appear favourable. I have yet

From Mr Peter Reeves Sir, After reading the La Society's recent evidence the Royal Commission Legal Services some may a why solicitors cling so ten of conveyancing. The reason probably to be found in the fact that property transfework has become a major source of income. For it average practitioner it repi sents something like 70 in cent of profit. With a fe notable exceptions other wo conveyancing. -

This is an unhealthy sin tion, for it means that in me. parts of the country legal a vices generally are inadequal Areas of law are neglect because they are ke remunerative and requi greater effort on the part-the practitioner. This unin need is particularly acute the field of welfare law inw ving aspects of family la benefit entitlement, tenant a employee problems and relat

The net result is that 1 services of lawyers are not effectively deployed as the could be. Conveyancing in the wast majority of instances to not need the expertise of awyer. If trained and license conveyancers were imposes they would be able to const trace upon this kind of we alone and maximum charge could be imposed well bein the present levels.

This would leave solicing free to provide a fuller ran of legal services and incide tally, to be available in £ rare event of legal disputarising in conveyancing in

PETER REEVES, Director, Centre for the Stuof Protective Law. 209 Woodstock Road, Oxford.

Export opportunities in Japan thriving economy, a sharp swing to westernized taste, and

Sir, I have recently returned from Japan where I went as leader of a sales mission of 18 British manufacturers of hou-sewares. The effort was based on an exhibition at the British Export Marketing Centre in Tokyo. The results were highly

At one end of the scale, a manufacturer with over 10 years' experience in the Japanese market and annuol sales of over £500,000 expects to double this figure in the next 12 months. At the other end of the scale, a manufacturer who not previously made sales to Japan has selected and appointed an agent and taken

There are tremendous opportunities for British manufac-turers in Japan. It is a market of 114 million, half of whom were born after the war. were born after the war, good crowds, in fact over 60 Summer Road, Experters can benefit from a representatives of the media Croydon, CR9 3BQ.

The dream

world of

graduate

Sir, I was appalled to read the

article (July 18) by Paul

Greengrass. If his level of

innocence and naivety are typi-

cal, the education authorities

Surely no one has ever con-

sidered an arts degree of being

any value at all, except as an education in clarity of thought, and conciseness in reporting and decision. What industrial companies are looking for, in

tine management, is the indi-vidual who, placed in front of 100 shopfloor men/salesmen, can marshall his own thoughts,

assimilate their protests/com-ments and come back with clear intellectual power to enswer their points and win

Shopfloor workers look for

party conversation is living in

It is regrettable that such individuals consider themselves "(trainee) executives"—what they really need is two years at the very lowest level of involvement which would at least that the property of the street of the second s

give them a worm's eye view of what management should be

Finally, I must add that apparently their time-scale is also out of proportion. The built-in assumption that they will be managers/executives of

high calibre within two or three years of leaving univer-

sity seems at odds with the prospective 40-plus years of business life before them. The

pace has to slow down at some stage and it would be better

for all if it was at the begin-ning of their career, rather than blowing up with shattered

Alusions at 35.
Perhaps all students of Mr

Greengrass's expectations should remember that leaving

university is only the end of the beginning. His bleating stritude will not earn much

sympathy in the business world.

Yours faithfully, R. COAD,

Old Rectory, Keinton Mandeville,

all about.

their acceptance.

have much to answer for:

an arts

From Mr R. Coad

tish Embessy, led by Mr Ben Thorne, is in my opinion the best post we have got. This commercial department is pre-pared to give unlimited assistance to exporters and would-be exporters. They will conduct the initial market research; the initial market research; they will make recommenda-tions; they will check the status of potential agents and importers and they will continue to advise if requested m do so. It was they who in 1973 opened the British Expert Marketing Centre where 10 major exhibitions (and other events) are held annually. They attract.

attended the Housewares, of course the current sterling/ However, there is one other reason why the chances of suc-cess are improved. The com-mercial department of the Bri-

good coverage.

The political climate is in proving. Although there are still some restrictive practical. Japanese ministers and a Keidenren, the very powers equivalent of our CBL, ho realize that encouragement. British imports is an essenti restriction of trade are to b silenced.

More British exporters reali More British exporters rough should have a look at this ma the ket. They will get powers the assistance from BOTB, and in post in Tokyo, especial help in overcoming the second culties which are peculiar. the Japanese market. Yours faithfully, PETER W. S. BOULT. Managing Director. Meriex Industries Limited;

Carclo

_ Summary of Results 1976 Year to 31st March Turnover £000 6,471 7:849 Profit before tax £000 946 608 Earnings per 25p Ordinary share 6.9p 2.44p Dividend per 25p Ordinary share 2.689 Dividend cover (times)

Points from the Statement by the Chairman Sir Robin Brook, C.M.G., O.B.E.

• Turnover 21% up

● Profit before tax 56% up

• Earnings 63% up.

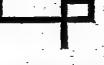
• Dividend maximum permitted Budgeted for 1977/8 profits similar

to 1976/7 record. So far we are on target

Copies of the Report and Accounts may be obtained from the Secretary.

Carclo Engineering Group Limited, Hightown Road, Cleckheaton,

West Yorkshire BD19 5JU. Telephone 0274 875790.



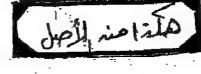
Chesterfield **Properties**

Results for the year to 31st December 1976

1976 22,465,000 Profit before interest £2,644,000 £800,000 Profit before tax £1,543,000 Profit after tax £682,000 Ordinary Dividends per chare 3,62106250 Directors' estimate of value of properties . £47,000,000 NIL

The Annual General Meeting will be held at Avery House, 1 Avery Row. Mayfair, London W1X OAD on 26th July 1977 at 11 a.m.

For a copy of the Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December 1976 apply to:-The Secretary, Chesterfield Properties Limited, 38 Curzon Street, London W1Y 8EY



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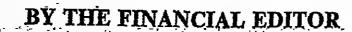
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Williams is adamant, on nestion of independence, he will not respond to party political pres-of any kind". Price Commission would



Ariel—the question of sensitivity

almost exactly two-and-a-half years earning more profit than Racal-C39.6m the Accepting Houses' computer-based last year compared to £32.7m although dealing system, Ariel, was launched a resistant Stock Exchange but the tional market's reaction, when roused, tagonistic as ever. Despite the hostility, lives and some of the larger, more tive deals go through it. But a large which can against the direction of a tive market recently has raised more

havism. Institutions are beginning to raise queries about Ariel's dealing system.
Le case in point has been Fairey. Dealers onvinced that the big lines of stock that Tale the market, in contrast to resound-The suffered for it. common accusation against Ariel is

wange to quote prices. More important ver, is the criticism that it forces a The ever, is the criticion that away. It practices reasonable to suppose that the subthe fill Parer that Ariel's selling information fails The resident of the residence of the stock is to be amplified that a large line of stock is to be amplified that a large line of stock is to be amplified that

and the productionalists have often argued that here. The traditionalists have often argued that In all nissions which Ariel has slashed should similes of afficiently large to subsidize and nurthe private clients. Hindsight suggests the and lead usage of willing buyer—willing techniques.

and the second of the second s we stock is coming from which elimiis a "human" system. Moreover it is open could be "human" system. Moreover it is open could be writed users to offer a series of small could be mad of one large block. But some users the could be mad of one large block. But some users the could be mad of one large block. But some users the could be mad of one large block although Ariel can be could be mad of one large block but some users

in a greater number of the partial state of the par that traditional dealing virtues come c force to maintain a sensitive and viable ket as a whole that too few stocks offer .cient volume,

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keover tactics perspective --

sey has already blown cold on the ideas ed by Racal for a rationalized tronics industry dominated by GEC and other (presumably Racal itself), and respective annual accounts demone how difficult it really would be for it to attempt to take Plessey on anyexcept on an agreed basis.
ide from the fact that Plessey is still

otor traders on the uplift

47 per cent increase in the interim. Crudely, the Ford distributorships should its of Ford main dealers, Manchester have the better margins in the second half ges, from £139,000 to £204,000 illu- of the year, while Leyland es the general trend within the motor ibutors sector this year. The precise ons for the general recovery in profits ovements of the current period vary case an improvement in margins early a percentage point to 41 per cent, cted improvements in efficiency in sales and servicing, but behind the

performances of the whole sector general picture of rising car sales, ear were only a per cent up on the period of 1976, but a sharper rise second-half is expected to bring about precast two per cent improvement for ill year to a total of 1.3m registrations. re significant perhaps, variations n the car market have been more.

cant with Ford and Vauxhall showing ed improvements in market share at * xpense of Chrysler and Leyland. h Jessup Holdings and Arlington

rs, whose results are due today, have their share prices moving up on hall's improved performance, with gton benefiting particularly fro mthe r truck market, which began to move final quarter of last year.

last year compared to £32.7m although Racal could conceivably pass Plessey this year—the real difference lies in the asset base. With £20.5m of goodwill in its accounts, Racal's net worth of £41.8m pales into insignificance against its capitalization of £240m, while Plessey's net worth is

Moreover, while Plessey may not be able to match Racal's continuing extraordinary growth-profit growth of 50 per cent compound in the next two years is by no means impossible—it has also come strongly out of the 1975/76 recession, growing at the rate of 20 per cent for each of the final three

quarters of last year. With Milgo only just under Racal's belt at a considerable cost in terms of goodwill, it is fair to assume that the group will pause for breath now and that a deal with Plessey can be forgotten. More interesting is the situation at Decca, although it is still far from certain how willing Decca itself is to talk with anyone.



Mr Ernest Harrison, chairman of Racal Electronics (left) and Sir John Clark, chairman of

But Milgo is clearly not the end of the acquisition trail for Racal. The group is raising its borrowing limits from £83.5m to £123.4m, not because of any immediate plans to raise borrowings but because " we are, as a matter of policy, seeking suitable acquisi-tions". Racal evidently thinks its present limits could be an inhibiting factor.

In the meantime, although its balance sheet is not as pristine as it was a year ago, it is far from stretched either. Total debt, net of cash, remains modest enough at £15.6m. City observers are talking about profits this year of perhaps £50m or more, against which has to be measured total spending on fixed assets last year (excluding Milgo) of a mere £4.9m. Capital spending authorized at the year end was only £1.3m. So Racal will clearly be well placed to make a significant bid during the next year or so

There will be no shortage of sreas for it to look. Its strength is still predominantly in the military communications field, and it would be no surprise to see Racal branching out into private communications, air-to-gir

volume. At the halfway stage, Henly was saying that margins were ligely to suffer as supplies improved, although better production of the specialist cars would be one offsetting factor, and the better volume should make up for any loss of profits on margins.

Leyland could still come into its own in 1978. The improved demand from cars has been fuelled by the absolute necessity fleet buyers to replace belatedly cars held for longer than usual to improve corporate liquidity. A cannge in the rules on leasing has further added to demand and will continue to do so. Ford benefits more than Levland because of Levland's lack of an up-to-date fleet car as the Marina becomes

longer in the tooth. general motor distributorships have benefited from the severe cost-cutting that followed the car market's collapse, and the well-run smaller Ford dealerships like Harrison, Harold Perry Motors and tate

of Leeds, attract some attention.

Many companies have yield attractions, but the larger groups are far from pure distributors. BSG International, for instance, earns more from manufacturing and still looks highly geared while an investor in Godfrey Davis and Kennings needs to follow the hire market.

Eric Wigham looks at the background to police discontent with pay and conditions

How special is the constable?

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The Government have at last appointed the chairman—Lord Edmund-Davies—of the body to review police negotiating machinery on pay and conditions which was promised last December; the other members have still to be chosen. Reactions to their report will decide whether a start can be made in rebuilding the damaged morale and easing the frustration and unrest which have marked the nation's police force during the

They may also consider the extent to which police should be considered a special case for pay. The preservation of law and order is essential but so is the activity of many others in complex modern society. In recent years some of these

past year.

suffering from an acute sense of injustice-doctors, nurses, firemen, civil servants and teachers among them—have abandoned the tradition that carrying on with their jobs is an overall priority, more iman overant priority, more important than the size of their bank balances or pay packets. The police, at the annual conference of their confederation this summer, decided that they too should be given the right

Police are not "special" be-cause they are essential to the community, though the immedi-ate effect when they cease work, in the form of looting and unrestrained violence, could be energically. Nor are could be spectacular. Nor are they special because their job s dangerous and their hours of duty are inconvenient. These things have to be given full weight when fixing pay, but there are other jobs with the same handicaps, even though few to the same degree.

But the police are special because, apart from the armed forces, they alone are barred by law from using the strike weapon and their organizations from associating with those of

other workers.

Their unrest came to a head this year because they have not been treated as a special case under the present pay policy. In 1975 they were. An agreement for a 28 per cent increase, made before the first phase of the pay policy of that year was announced, was sanc-

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Government's clear assumption

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incidentally, it did not carry out incidentally, it did not carry out into the manufacturers of computers and ellied equipment only, rather than to the end-users and to British inductors in personal.

"Until this arrived is reversed. British industry will not be able to take full advant-

age of computer technology to boost production and effici-

Another effect on the lack
of any overall government
policy came from the Computing Services Association, this
time in relation to the settingup of three state-backed
organizations—the National
Research Development Corpora-

tion's Compeda software com-pany; the Info-Line informa-tion serivce; and the National

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tloned on September 1, after stables rising from \$2,520 on the policy had come into appointment to \$3,572 after 17 years. There are additional allowances for London police The difference between them and for certain undermanned forces and there are lodging and their employers was whether their 1976 settlement should come under phase one, which would have meant a £6 allowances which the federation reckons are worth on

which would have meant a 20
increase, or under phase two,
which meant 5 per cent with
a maximum of 54. The Home
Secretary and the Prime
Minister and the TUC supaverage about £11 a week. It is unlikely that police unrest is due entirely or even mainly to the difference be-tween £6 and 5 per cept. There ported the view that they were bound by phase two. The employers also advised them to "get back into phase", so that is an accumulation of things, The crime rate is mounting, physical attacks on the police are increasing, and legislation they would be able to take advantage of any greater flexi-bility allowed under phase is multiplying, while underman-ning is widespread and overtime rates are relatively low and all the time they are subject to frequent criticisms and allega-tions of brutality in maintaining The Police Federation, how-ever, insisted that the 1975 in-crease was a special catching

crease was a special catching up operation and that their members were now entitled to the £6, which everybody also had got, and rejected a phase two offer. So their members had to do without any new increase until this summer, when Mr Merlyn Rees, the Home Secretary, made the unilateral They feel that their increasingly hard, dangerous and over-burdened life is not given recognition either in their payor in the attitude of the public towards them. Seeking a cause, or perhaps a scapegoat for their troubles, they have singled out Secretary, made the unlitteral decision to order a 5 per cent increase backdated to Septemtheir national negotiating body, the Police Council. ber 1 last year.
This resulted in an ennual

A year ago, when the em-ployers refused to join them in an approach to the Govern-

ment to ask for special treatment, they left the council and insist that their withdrawal was "irreversible". Their first priority, and probably what they most want to get out of the new inquiry, is a new and independent Police Pay Review Board, with the local police authorities excluded, though the authorities result results the

afficient forces. The official side of the present Police Council consists of representatives of the Home Office, and other government departments, which pay nearly two-thirds of police costs, and of the local police authorities who are in a majority. The least the federation hope for is its composition to changed to give the Government the dominant position.

authorities would retain their responsibility for maintaining

The police say they are not local government employees, but members of a national service, and do not want to negotiate with people who are bound to have in their minds the effect of any agreement on later negotiations with local government manual white collar workers and other groups. But the local government members, representing ratepayers, are "quite determined" that they must continue to have a major role in fixing police pay. They have, they say, immense loyalty and goodwill towards the police service and have often argued with ministers to obtain benefits for it, but pay policy has to be the over-riding consideration in the national interest

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When the Police Federation for England and Wales with-drew from the council, accompanied by that for Northern Ireland, the federation for Scotland remained within it, as did the chief police officers' and superintendents' associations, and the depleted council continued to meet.

The council tried to get an averaged increase of 23.58 a week for all ranks up to inspector, but that was ruled out under the pay policy. Since then figures of police earnings, ro formulate a fair basis to com-pare the police position with other sectors, and to assess how job have changed.

Pay and conditions in any industry need to be good enough to attract recruits. But that may not be sufficient. ithout the right to strike the police require some alernative method of exerting pressure on their employers. Direct government employees in the past have relied on publicity, mass meetings, petitions, labbying of MPs, and arbitration.

Some in recent years felt it necessary to adopt a strike policy as well, but the police, as the bulwark of law and order, with many friends in Parliament, could probably use the publicity weapon more effectively than most, as they have in the past year. If their dominant employer in negotia-tions were the Home Secretary on behalf of Parliament rather than local authority representatives, their position would be

But it is doubtful if they could do any better during periods of rigid pay policy. Certainly their position will present the Government with one of its most tricky problems during the coming months.

The thinking that distin-guishes the Department of Kenneth Owen counterparts is a total lack of

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incremental scale

Giving more bite to the British computer industry

er, Under-Secrethe Department produce substantial financing party noted in its first report. ware and systems parts of the for them repidly and apparently in addition, its impact upon all industry, may well follow the ut the European without relating them to any sectors within the industrial recent appointment of Mr data-processing overall policy for the industry. Strategy would be significant. After the Neil New Part of the New Part The Insac initiative—egain calling for the injection of sub-stantial funds into the industry

went on, "it is the British without any apparent link with any overail government any overall government strategy—was a further cause for concern, the association said. Certainly the computer and computing industries have been waiting for a policy (one

that goes much wider than the ICL preference in central ICL preference in central government procurement) for some years now. But in the meantime, as the CSA noted with some alarm, individual government initiatives have emerged which are changing the industry pattern.

Two of the potentially most important developments concern the industrial strategy work of the National Economic Development Office's computer sector working party; and the efforts of the NEB's Insac to change the shape of the soft-ware and systems industry.

Enterprise Board's Insac Data
Systems subsidiary.
Competa and Info-Line
ost unibly competed with the
private secur, the CSA complained, and the Government The computer sector was clearly a growth point in the United Kingdom economy and

exports, the sector working stronger interest in the soft-More recently, the Nedo group commented on the minicomputer sector. If a major national effort were made to establish a competitive United Kingdom minicomputer industry, they said, " the Government as one part of this effort should give serious consideration to

extending the procurement pre-ference to cover its products, at The working party also recommended (with one dissensian) that the existing ICL preference in central government procurement should be continued in a strengthened form until the end of 1980. In its continuing programme

of work the Nedo group has set up subcommittees concerned respectively with marketing, multinational companies, and manpower. A particularly novel scheme is now being examined

by the marketing group.

This is the possible formation of an overseas maintenance com-pany which would support the products of the British com-puter industry (including peri-pherals and minicomputers).

Likely markets and industrial

support are now being examined in a feasibility study commissioned from the Butler-Cox consultancy, the Triad software house and Mr Derek Royle of Computer World Trade.
In its deliberations so far,

the computer sector working party appears to have been diffusing its efforts over a wide range of targets. A sharper focus on priorities, and a

new chairman.

Meanwhile, the Na Enterprise Board has gradually clarifying its plans for Insac Data Systems, the NEB subsidiary which will finance development products for products member-companies.

Peak external funding £20m over the first five years has been agreed, with an initial £9m equity committed (in addition to the NEB's investments in Insac member-companies). When Insac gets under way it will let contracts for new product development (software and/or complete systems) with its member-

The board's computer executives see three main markets for Insac to exploit overseas: the provision of complete (hardware and software) systems for specific applications; the marketing of software packages; and "teleprogramming"—cus-tom programming in Britain for customers abroad.

(On this third subject Insac is waiting to see the result of a National Computing Centre initiative-the writing of a control manual for such teleprogramming projects — before taking action itself.) Insac will be looking at such

areas as communications; office systems, including text processing; and small business computing systems. So far two firms have shed their inhibitions and plunged into the Insac pool—Computer Analysis & Programmers (a software house) and Systime (a systems company). SPL International,

Engineering's software house, has been shivering on the brink, about to dive in, for some time Though CAP and SPL are

important members of the Computing Services' Association, the CSA as a body remains suspicious of the NEB's forays into the computing world in the absence of any overall policy towards the industry. A dis-criminatory system of government-funded development likely, the association fears.

Within the industry, the CSA Computer Society are not the only ones to be calling for a policy. At a weekend conference earlier this month, organized by the Association for Computing Machinery, the computing provide and accompaning machinery. puting practitioners and acade mics present agreed that the assess the future impact of information technology " which was meant the conver-gence of the technologies of computing, telecommunications and semi-conductors).

Professor Ison Barron, who the Department of Industry's tronics Requirements Board to prepare a study on the future of computing, told the conference that the government should establish a Ministry of Information Technology.

as important a resource as energy, he argued, and its management, provision and use needed high-level consideration. Any policy should be oriented towards promoting the use of the technology.

The future of the Post Office

was also relevant, Professor Barron pointed out, since the corporation's attitude to elec-tronic mail, for example, would The 1980s would represent the best opportunity the United Kingdom would have to re-vitalize the economy. A successful industrial strategy must be built around the new opportunities that information

Business Diary: Price Commission, Williams style

es Williams is today be-ng a short break before kes over on Monday from rthur Cockfield as chairof the Price Commission. e Williams left he spoke rek Harris, our Commerted about companies worted m, with its tougher room with its tougher powers restigation, will simply lie it for the unwary restigation. find it interesting that the ary of state has gone out, way to answer these

mission has a chance to take the question of prices out of party politics. Parenthetically he agrees he sounds like a man with high ideals. But, a mixed economy man, he also sees the need for a Galbraithian countervailing power to be created as a guard against the effects

of market imperfections. the big companies should go on pre-notifying whatever may happen to the rest of the onethat companies will have less bureaucratic form-filling to do, it looks as if Williams and his

ted closely.

He said: "We shall simply go and talk to the company. It will be a dialogue. I am hopeful that a lot of misuoderstandings—whether it is about market imperfections or meeting criteria-will be cleared

He added: "I do not think anybody would dissent from the view that where there is a fully competitive market situation, and where a firm is in the fullest sense operating efficiently, that that is the best

Williams sets great store by the commission's role in explaining what in a particular sector results in the prices in the shops. It helps people shop around.

tion the efficiency of a com-pany, and that—Williams emphasizes-includes the nationaized industries. Ouestions over-manning will presumably arise.

complex problem. But we do need to know whether in paying some prices, as individual consumers or as individual tonsumers or as industrial in Officials of the Confederation of British Industry are

of the commission's network of regional offices with their specialist local knowledge. He is also considering whether to bring in specialists to cope with knotter situations. "I with knottier situations. "I shall not" he said "simply be going through my wife's shop-

Peter Knowles and Ham Dethero are to cease being transatlantic commuters now that the American banks which they work have picked on the City as the base for their

Knowles, an old Etonian of dual nationality, is vice-president and European representative of Riggs National Bank of

Dethero is senior vice-president in charge of Europe, Middle East and Africa area edministration of San Francisco's Crocker Bank. Riggs opens its first Euro-pean office in Queen Victoria Street today while Dethero will

into Crocker's office in Great St Helen's.

The Washington bank claims to be the only American bank with a branch on foreign soil in its own country with the branch opened in the British Embassy in the American capital.

Riggs, which has been operating since 1836, handles many of the foreign embassies in Washington. Among its

busy finalizing arrangements for the employer organization's first national conference to be held at Brighton in November. This promises to be a lively affair with up to 2,500 delegates expected at Brighton's conference centre. Aiready some 1,800 companies have expressed an interest. There has only been a trickle of registransons so far, but many more are expected after the holidays

are over. Resolutions are being invited from CBI standing committees, regional councils and from trade associations. Conference business will be split into six

the disposal of North Sea oil revenues are expected to be among the most important topics. The decisions taken are meant to set the employer organization's policy for the next year. Companies will be restricted to a maximum of 10 delegates whether they're repre-

general, expects a number of militant resolutions and some fire-eating speeches from the rostrum—just like the TUC, held two months earlier. Voting will be by a show of hands rather than the block vote as at the TUC conference.

LONDON & OVERSEAS FREIGHTERS LTD.

In view of the fact that Austin & Pickersgill. was removed from the Group on the 1st July 1977 by operation of the Aircraft and Shipbuilding Industries Act 1977, the Directors have presented Group Accounts in two formsfirstly those relating to the Group as it exists in law and secondly, those which show the Group position excluding A & P (except insofar as Dividends payable to LOF are concerned).

The Group profit for the year attributable to LOF was £5,244,972 on the former basis and £4,335,387 on the latter basis. In the course of his Statement, the Chairman,

Mr Basil Mavroleon, said-"From a trading point of view we have fared a little better than expected in another year of recession. The fact that the year produced a profit of £4.3m is due largely to surpluses realised on the sale of older vessels. The sale of these ships during the year produced nearly £10m in cash at a time when there is little or no prospect of being able to meet our loan repayment and interest commitments out of surpluses for

some time to come. My co-Directors and I feel a genuine sadness and sense of deprivation at the loss of A & P. LOF's claim for adequate compensation on the loss of this valuable investment will be pressed to the limit within the provisions of the legislation. With the best will in the world I can give no indication as to what the compensation may amount to; nor any idea of the date when the Government Stock forthcoming, but it will almost certainly be insufficient to yield a return comparable to that expected from A & P during the next

-not cash !--receivable in payment may be

.I would be misleading you if I predicted an early return to overall profitability of our Group fleet. Prospects in the tanker market are gloomy indeed and I can do no better than repeat the hope I expressed last year that freights earned will cover the outof pocket operating expenses of the ships (i.e. excluding depreciation and interest). Dry-cargo ships freights have been fulling for some months and there is nothing to encourage me to expect a reversal of this trend this year. Nevertheless, I expect our SD 14s and the forthcoming B 26s to make an operating surplus in the current year. You will understand the need to conserve the cash resources of the Group if it is to meet its obligations through this difficult period. World trade is increasing and will, I feel, continue to do so. We are twelve months nearer the time when there will be a better balance between the carrying capacity of the world's ships and the supply of cargoes to be transported by sea. We look forward to that time in the knowledge that our mixed fleet of modern ships will be well-placed to participate to the full in the ensuing prosperity. In the meantime, we must keep our nerve and be thankful for reserves built up in happier times."

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Copies of the Annual Report for the year to 31st March, 1977 and the full text of the Statement by the Chairman, Mr. Basil Mavroleon, of which the above is an extract, may be obtained from the Secretary.



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of State for Prices and Consuexpanded commission member-ship will have less information

to go on. Price Commission watchers feel Williams is bound to have a tricky time, particularly at first, in building up the cri-teria upon which one of a flood of price rises is to be investiga-

up at that stage. My ideal is that there will be no investigations as such at all."

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Officials of the Confederation of British Industry are

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND MARKET REPORTS

Lipton fork-lift trucks agree to $107\frac{1}{2}$ p from Lex Service

Lex Service, the car distributor-to-hotels group, is to offer 107 in cash for the remaining ordinary shares of L. This values the forklift truck hire company at about

£2.4m and follows the announce-

ment of takeover talks last Lex picked up a 19.24 per cent stake in Lipton from SGB Investments and the Lipton directors have agreed to accept the offer for a further 55 v cent of the shares.

The offer price is based on the asset value of Lipton re-flecting the market value of the properties and the written-down value of the fork-lift truck fleet on the basis used by Lex sub-sidiary Harvey Plant, which is involved in the contract hire and rental of fork-lift trucks. And it is only the UK forklift truck hire side of the busi-

Providing shareholders agree Mr John Lipton, chairman and managing director, is to buy certain other subsidiaries, in-cluding the French offshoot, for

£279.000. These subsidiaries will also repay inter-company debts to Lipton totalling around Lex has already revealed plans to expand Harvey Plant and the addition of Liptons

1,400 fork-lift truck fleet will increase the division's total to geographical spread and improve service to customers. The rationalization of the two companies will lead to a strong, efficient and expanding business, say the Lex directors.
In the year to December 31 last. Lipton turned in improved pre-tax profits of £132,000 on turnover of £5.1m. The share price yesterday climbed 9p to a year's high of 103p.

Stronger second-leg makes up leeway at Neepsend

A stronger second half at Neepsend, the Sheffield-based specialist steel and engineering group, left pre-tax profits for the year to March 31 at £1.057m, only £191,000 down on the previous 12 months. In the first-half profits slumped £432,000 to £349,000.

Mr Stanley Speight, chairmen, however, gives a warning that there is still no sign of upturn in steel demand

Kwikform

dips 6 pc

By Our Financial Staff

Hit by a lower contribution from its Australian ossociate,

Birmingham-based Kwikform failed to make record profits in 1976-77-for the first time since it went public in 1972,

Though group pre-tax profit

rose 6.3 per cent to £1.24m in the year to April 30, its share of the profits of its associate tumbled from £356,000 to

£190,000, leaving the pre-tax total 6 per cent down at £1.43m.

But with the tax charge more than helved, from £548,000 to £232,000 and an extraordinary item of £292,000 to be credited.

against nil, the upshot is that

the retained profit is up from £742,000 to £1.24m.

The extraordinary item is the profit on the sale of a part of the holding in Kwikform

Industries, Australia. These shares were sold when the associate went public. The

associate went public. The 1976 tax charge has been

The total gross dividend is being lifted from 6.86p to 7.28p.

Earnings per ordinary share

(with extraordinary item) rose from 19.3p to 29.5p and with-

out the item from 19.3p to 23.7p.

Reshaping leads

Net profits of UC Invest-

ments, part of the Union Cor-poration group, fell from R4.47m in the first half of 1976 to R3.25m in the six

months to end of Juge following a reorganization of invest-

ments between UCI and Geduld

UCI states that whereas

nearly two thirds of the annual dividend income was received in the first balf, it is now

expected to be slightly less than half. The company made a net profit of R6.32m for the whole

of last year. The interim divi-dend of 10 cents a share is

Meanwhile, Lornex, a Canadian mining company in the

fall in net earnings over the same period from C\$8.26m to \$6.48m. Net revenue fell slightly on last year because of

lower prices in spite of higher

The Metropolitan Borough of Sandwell is issuing 520m of 13 per cent redeemable stock, 1985,

at a price of £97; per cent. In-terest, less tax, will be payable

terest, less tax, will be payable half-yearly on January 15 and July 15, with the first payment of £4.0484 next January. The New Issues Department of National Westminster Bank is

Following the gaioing of control by ASSI of Sweden of Dolan Packaging comes a reshaping of share stakes in Dolan. MIT Securities, a subsidiary of Hambros, sold 546,000 Dolan ordinary last Friday, reducing its holding to 330,000

ducing its holding to 330,000 shares, or 3.76 per cent. Forenade Well AB, which is owned by ASSI, bought a further 1.49 million ordinary, making its helding 3.6 million.

making its holding 2-36 million shares, or 26.82 per cent. These shares were bought on Friday, when ASSI claimed control of

Dolan Packaging

share stakes

copper production.

Sandwell's £20m

offer at £97½ pc

to opening fall

by UC Invs

Investments.

As the first-half's total pretax profits were 15 per cent up, the year's figures point to a fall of 15.88 per cent in the last helf. with the special steels industry in particular continuing to suffer from foreign dumping. But there is a growth in trade in other activities. These include casting, hand and machine tool manufacturing and engineering—and the group is achieving higher sales in these divisions.

The total dividend, covered 1.38 times, is being maintained at 2.93p net, or 4.438p gross.

Stock markets

Prices turn back but index up

Share prices made a firm showing on the first day of the new account, although dealers attributed most of the gains to a technical "bounce" following

last week's equity rout. Some signs of cheap buying early in the day prompted firmer marking and resulted in some bears moving to cover positions. By 2 years the 27 positions. By 2 pm, the FT index had recouped 6.6 points of last week's 22-point fall. But in the absence of genuine follow-up interest outside a clutch of special situations, prices began to turn back and

the index closed 5.7 points up at 437.2. Trading was also extremely thin in gilts, although hopes that the Government will keep

Baker and confectioner Avana Group hardened 1p to 261p Group hardened 1p to 26!p ahead of figures for the year to March 31, due in a day or two. Bid chatter linking Avana to Northern Foods has not died down though the shares have doen though the shares have eased from 31p since the last bout of gossip in May. Soon however they should be supported by word of almost doubled profits.

a tight rein on money-supply, whatever the outcome of pay deliberations, helped improve sentiment. "Longs", although closing just off their best, managed gains of up to three quarters, while "shorts" which saw a little more activity and signs of some new money made gains of up to five-

On the equity front, Courtaulds managed to recover 1p of last week's 18p slump, to close below its best at 110p. Several leaders saw gains of are up to 5p cut back to 2p at the pre-

close—among them ICI at 822p. Glaxe 537p, Beecham 480p, Tubes 392p and Unilever. Fairey, which gave up 45p last week after dreadful profits news, managed to recover 34p lost week after dreadful profits news, managed to recover 34p lost week after dreadful profits news, managed to recover 34p lost week after dreadful profits news, managed to recover 34p lost news of orders. Electricals made a firm showing with Racal putting on 7p to 436p, Decca putting on 5p to 315p and Thorn "A" to close at 44p following press comment and news of orders:
Electricals made a firm showing with Racal putting on 7p to 436p, Decca putting on 5p to 315p and Thorn "A" climbing 2p to 302p. Plessey, ahead of first-quarter results tomorrow, added 2p at 82p.

Among banks, Lloyds down 8p to 212p and Midland unchanged at 298p were deserted as investors turned their atten-

as investors turned their attentions to the two main groups still to report. National West-minster, with figures due today, minster, with figures due today, added 6p to 228p, while Barclays, which reports on Thursday, climbed 3p to 278p. In oils, Siebens added a further 18p to 256p still reflecting last week's Chevron deal and speculation over the Brae field, while Attock added 8p on press comment. BP added 6p to 916p and Shell went 7p better to 555p.

Sir James Goldsmith's Caven-

vices Group took L. Lipton, the fork-lift truck-maker, 9p higher to 103p—still 41p below the cash offer.

The dividend-boosting rights issue from Powell Duffryn was well received, lifting the shares 8p to 172p. 8p to 172p.

In properties, hopes of a in precontinuing low level of interest more to
rates brought renewed vigour
to several stocks. Land Securi27.5m.

ties moved 4p ahead to 173p, while MEPC added a similar amount to 80p and Great Portland went 2p firmer to 228p. Peachey closed 11p higher to 43½p. Insurances took their lead

from properties, with Commer-cial Union managing to go 3p better at 129p, while General Accident 184p, and Guardian &

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"The international strength of the Plessey Group is undoubtedly the most important achievement to arise from many years of painstaking development.

Record £94 million exports spearhead recovery

In his review to shareholders in the Plessey Annual Report and Accounts for 1976-77; published today, Sir John Clark says:

"After the worst ever business conditions of 1975-76, the recovery I predicted 12 months ago took place steadily throughout 1976-77 and, despite the severe and sudden effects of the Post Office cuts announced last November, we ended the year on a rising trend.

Profit growth continued in the fourth quarter at about 20 per cent - the third consecutive quarter at that level - improving the final pre-tax profit by about 14 per cent for the year, after meeting substantially higher depreciation and interest costs.

Worldwide sales were 16 per cent higher at £569 million, of which about 50 per cent was represented by international business, either by our opera-tions outside the UK or by direct exports from the UK. This is amost encouraging feature of our current business development.

Our UK export performance was a new record at £94 million, up by 36 per cent compared with the previous year. Selling in export markets is not easy and we do not, of course, win all the business for which we bid. But against the fiercest competition in the world I think our export record in the last two years speaks for itself.

It is no mean performance in a year when we have made substantial and unexpected provision for the losses which will arise from cuts in Telecommunications, that after the deduction of £11 million under Extraordinary Items' we have been able to recommend total dividends for the year at 4.84p a share, the maximum permitted level. This will cause us, however, to draw on reserves to the extent of about £360,000. We believe it is a prudent step to make provision for all anticipated costs-including redundancy, surplus stocks, disruption and dilapidations.

We have pressed forward with our objective to decentralise operations on the basis of a number of product and regional subsidiaries, each capable of matching the equivalent international competition, according to market size,

opportunity and product range. And we are continuing our strategy of 'portfolio balance' to ensure that those businesses we are in offer the best prospects for the Plessey Group as a

A policy of severe discrimination is being pursued rigorously with a view to attaining the best possible returns in every specialist sector for which purpose we are carefully. balancing our product mix and our relative dependence on various customer bases, such as between the public and private sectors.

In short, Plessey has become more customer and market oriented and ultimately we aim to reach a position where no business sector is over-reliant on any one customer. To achieve these changes required hard decisions and concentration on those areas which promise success. The Group is becoming more responsive, efficient and competitive and the benefits will accrue pro-

Future Requirements

We are taking a long, hard look at future requirements. We have already invested heavily in setting up a new plant at Huyton for the manufacture of TXE4. It is now on stream and producing new electronic exchanges for the Post Office. We are also playing a leading part in the development of System X. But the most exciting mid-term prospects in the Telecommunications sector are in our own developments of electronic private exchange systems both in the UK and in North America for the world's markets.

The Plessey K-1 electronic branch exchange is a stored program controlled private subscribers system designed and developed by Plessey Canada. A digital private exchange system is also at an advanced stage of development by Plessey Telecommunications at Nortingham. In both cases trial installations are already in operation. We hope to launch these potentially powerful new products on to the commercial market before the end of the year.

During a period of economic recession and transition to new technologies, Plessey has succeeded in developing major strength in electronic systems. We specialise in

SALES AND PROFITS 1976-77 Sales - £569 Million

UK Exports Other UK operations Operations outside UK Pre-tax Profits-£39.6 Million UK operations

21.7 55 (inc. exports) Operations outside UK 17.9 45 products for the radar, navaids,

avionics, radio communications, marine and allied markets. Our Electronic Systems businesses are developing strongly and during the year they achieved excellent results, substantially increasing profitability and return on capital employed. The order intake exceeded £180 million

A large proportion of the new orders for telecommunications and electronic systems incorporate a variety of new products. These will clearly strengthen. our position in world markets in the coming years.

International Operations The gradual emergence of the US

market from deep recession has led to a substantial profit improvement in every sector of the Group's North American business. In particular, our performance in the semi-conductor and electronic markets was considerably better than that of the US industry as a whole.

Enormous growth is currently taking place in the Mediterranean and Middle East Region. Oil revenues are being invested in a wide range of industrial products, including telecommunications and electronic systems. Competition is fierce, with almost every major industrial group in the world bidding for business. On the basis of selective specialisation,

we are encouraged by our penetral of this important growth market.

creased our business activity and I have already referred to our record performance in Italy. Looking ahead we believeour performance will improve still further as a result of steps taken to streamine our European operation. especially in the private sector market. People

eople
To everyone in the Group - about 60,000 people across the world - I should like to say thank you for your loyalty and hard work. The Board much regrees that despite its appeals to Government and the Post Office A ameliorate the effects of their actions. the year-end brought the threat of redundancy to many employees. Outlook

It has not been my policy to make forecasts. However, I do believe that given reasonable improvement in the economy - and that must include effect tive control of inflation - we stand well placed to continue the upward trend achieved last year. We still have some work to do to restore equilibrium in the telecommunications business after the major disruption it has suffered. We shall continue to encounter fierce competition in world markets. But I deted a new confidence among our people it secure the orders and deliver the goods

I also believe that the policy of the Board to achieve a better balance among our many business activities will help to ensure that we both. spread our risks across a larger number of customers and markets and are better placed to grate opportunities as we identify them. We began the current year with order books standing at a record level of £600 million, of which £167 million is for UK exports. This gives .. us a good start in our quest to secure more profitable growth."

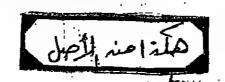
Trading performance quarter by quarter (in thousands of pounds)

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PLESSEY GROUP Operating internationally in 136 countries

The Annuar General Meeting of The Plessey Company Limited will be held on Thursday, 18 August 1977 at 12 noon at Millbank Tower, 21-24 Millbank, London SW 1P 4QP. Copies of the Plessey Annual Report and Accounts and 'Plessey World', the special insancial report for employees, are available from The Secretary at the Company's registered office: Vicasage Lane, Illurd, Haskx 1G1 4AQ.



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e have continued with our policy of disposing of smaller nd less profitable public houses, upgrading our existing ouses, and acquiring or building new houses on

well Duffryn's £6.6m 'rights' help finance £20m of spending

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The current year's spending sue on a one-for-five 135p a share. been underwritten by will include investment in the expansion of the engineering division's United Kingdom capacity, in new oil and chemical storage installations Wagg Brokers to August 1. The shares by 9p to 172p yesterday.

overseas and in the building of new bulk-carrying ships. Although finding it too early to make a profit forecast for the current year, the board reports that the term began well. The first-quarter's trading profit is "significantly" greater than

pear of about £20m. BELLAMBI COAL er for year to April 30, Eu. (25m). Pre-tax profit Eu. (254,900). Total gross 4, 4,84p (4.09p). A one-for-one scrip of shares is planned but a decision will be made at beard meeting to be held source and of this month.

distribution, quarries and timber divisions made a "satisfactory start. However, the pollution control and building services contracting divisions' results are "disappointing",

but are expected to improve
For the year to March 31, 1978, it expects to march 31, 1978, it expects to pay a dividend total of 15.15p gross a share on the basis of a 34 per cent ACT. This would be an increase of about 26 per cent over 1976-77. Treasury permission but been given mission has been given.

GOLD & BASE METAL.

Gold & Base Metal Mines' consolidated accounts for 1976 are being andited and board hopes to issue results in about a month.

Scoteros ahead in first quarter

By Michael Clark Sales and profits for the first quarter at Scoreros, which reported recently profits of £1.1m for the year to March 31, are comfortably ahead of last year, says Mr R. W. Alexander, chairman.

He told the annual meeting that detailed discussions were taking place for investment in Continental companies with a large degree of commercial and technical compatibility.

Meanwhile, its Belgian sub-sidiary has studied possibilities in Europe, as well as finding openings for direct trade. Else were sales of roll-over protection structures, being made under licence, were now at

Scottish & Newcastle Breweries Limited

Big investment programme to upgrade production and distribution facilities'

Extracts from the statement by the Chairman, Mr. P. E. G. Balfour, issued with the annual report and accounts for the 52 weeks anded May 1, 1977.

Ve can once more report record turnover and profit on a lear of 52 weeks compared with 53 weeks in the receding year, and are consequently able to recommend ne maximum dividend allowed under the existing Cincipal and wines and spirits, but also for the first time a

nall volume drop of 1 percent in beer sales. Much time nd effort has been devoted during the year to planning and aplementing the capital investment that will be acessary to reverse this sales trend.

is I have stressed before, a very high proportion of the ompany's profit comes from the sale of ale and lager. ver the past decade the Company's ale and lager sales ave increased in volume by 75 percent and its share of the tal market has gone up from 7 percent to something over percent. In an increasingly competitive market, which is ely to be limited to a total incresse of 1-2 percent e maintained, particularly since the market is currently Fifuenced by the swing from ale to lager where the ompany's strength does not traditionally lie. Nevertheless in Fame and actual drop in total sales is a disappointment.

he reasons for this lie partly in production and istribution problems which did not allow us to take full dvantage of demand at peak periods, partly in that we are not yet developed the necessary strength in the lager old, and partly in the fact that strikes in the brawing dustry generally have made free trade customers willing to deal exclusively with one supplier.

popie popie popies is concerned we expect the current year to To a second as layer is concerned we expect the current year to low a steady increase in our share of the lager market, with with Harp Leger consortium products including Harp Leger. This last was put into general distribution. Sotland on draught in October 1976 and in can in April 377. We are extremely pleased with its progress and plan introduce it into selected areas of the north of England in e autumn of this year. We regard it as being mplementary to the Harp Lager brands and consider it ressential part of our strategy that in a market creasingly dependent on lager we should be in a position handle a number of brands differentiated by gravity and

ice. ur relationship with our partners in Harp is excellent and e look to a continued and profitable association in the ars to come.

order to take advantage of the growing interest in cider to take advantage of the growing interest in cider ir distribution in the north of England and Scotland. ompany and are now kegging its products on Tyneside

/ith improving service to customers and further upgrading our production and distribution our production and distribution, we would look for a eady improvement in our sales were it not for rising costs and the necessity to increase our prices at a time of low consumer spending power. Energy to an increase in the necessity to increase in our spending power.

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re main focus of attention on the production side has

een the creation of a lager capability of our output of the production side has en the creation of a lager capability of our own and the formed shareholders that we were considering the assibility of building a new brewery in the north-east of igland. We now believe that by the rearrangement of our ewing patterns and the conversion of our existing plant e can meet the demand for ale and lager over the next re years, which gives us time to consider the size and cation of new brewing plant. To give us adequate lager oduction we are investing £5 million in our Edinburgh eweries. The installation of this new plant, which is up to hedule, is due to be completed next spring.

> n the packaging side we are making substantial irchases of new vessels and have increased our kegging apability in Edinburgh.

Nanaged public houses

The Hotels Division, and Thistle Hotels in particular, has had a most satisfactory year and is now making a significant contribution to Group profit. We are now at a stage where we can once more consider selective expansion both by acquisition and extension.

The strength of the London tourist market, coupled with the opportunities that it provides for reference business through the rest of our hotel chain, led us to take the opportunity to purchase the 320-bedroom Kensington Palace Hotel in London at a price well below the current cost of building. Additions and alterations to other of our hotels are currently in progress.

Waverley Vintners

In difficult trading conditions at home our wines and spirits business had a satisfactory year with increased turnover and profit. New franchises for well-known brands were brands achieved a larger share of the export market at higher prices and margins. We foresee further expansion in this field and have put in hand increased production and warehouse facilities. We believe that there are opportunities for a steady growth in this part of our business.

Capital expenditure

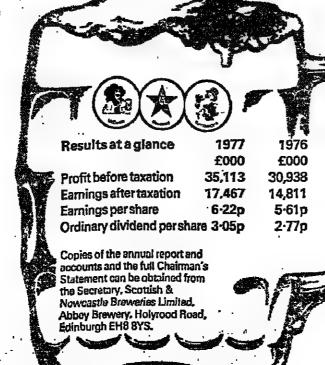
Many of the projects started during the last twelve months will incur heavy payments only towards the end of the completion cycle. Nevertheless on these and other projects we anticipate an expenditure of £40 million in the current year and not less than £40 million in 1978-79. Provided that no legislation is introduced which will reduce our profitability, we believe we have adequate resources to meet these commitments and to continue the renewal and re-equipment of your Company.

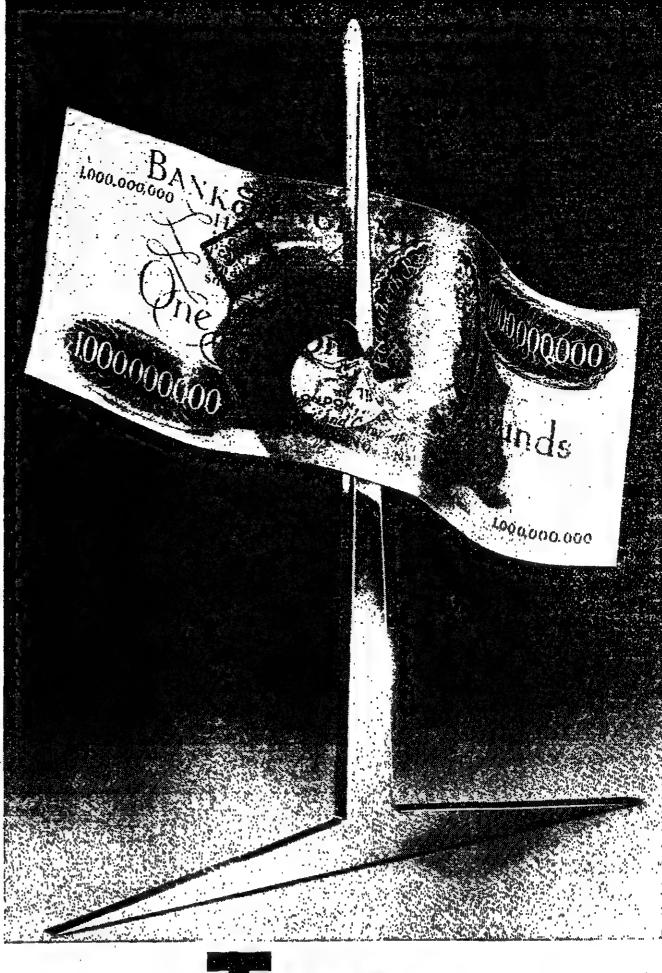
The future

We can see the future of the Company only against a background of the political and economic future of the country, which for us has an added dimension in the possibility of devolution in some form for Scotland. So far as devolution for Scotland is concerned, it is of more than passing interest that whilst two-thirds of our production is in Scotland, two-thirds of our market is in

I would welcome a real measure of industrial devolution provided that it did not result in total separation from what regard as an indivisible UK economy, or in too many layers of government.

In spite of politically induced uncertainties, we remain convinced that, whatever the economic vicissitudes of the country, people will continue to want our products. We believe that the market will continue to grow, albeit slowly, and for further progress we shall need to counter the increasing competition by introducing new products and new and imaginative marketing methods and by giving better customer service.





A note-worthy year.

External Turnover

Trading Profit

Profit before tax

Thorn Electrical Industries' turnover for the year to 31st March 1977 exceeded £1 billion for the first time and all Product Groups contributed to the increase of 39% in net profit before tax of £103.7 million.

The following are extracts from the annual statement to Shareholders made by the Chairman, Sir Richard Cave M.C.

Management and Employees

I have been impressed by the excellent relationships which exist amongst those who work for the Company, even though the economic conditions in the U.K. have been anything but helpful.

As Chairman, and on behalf of the Board, I wish to thank everyone in the Company for their own personal effort which has produced these results and also to thank them for their understanding of the difficulties industry today has to face. This is a confident, friendly company but without false optimism.

Finance

The Company continued to be in a strong financial position. During the year under review the funds generated from operations totalled £154 million, trading margins after finance charges were 10.0% and the pre-tax return on capital employed was 24.1%.

Shares

We have already announced a proposal to enfranchise the 'A' Ordinary shares and to compensate the holders of the Ordinary shares for the dilution of their voting rights by a scrip issue of one new Ordinary share for every twenty Ordinary shares held. This action has been taken because we firmly believe that all the holders of the Company's equity shares should be able to participate in the Company's affairs by being able to attend and vote at general meetings.

European Share Listings

We have also announced our intention to apply later in the year for the Ordinary shares to be listed on a number of European Stock Exchanges. This move will give us greater flexibility in planning our strategy for expanding our overseas interests.

Ordinary Dividends 5.987p per 25p share 6.5857p 28.2p 37.0p Earnings per share

Summary of Results for 1976/77

1975/76

£74.4m

£1,038.8m £845.2m

£103.7m

£194.1m £156.4m

Dividends

The dividend this year is covered more than five times by profits and the cash position of the Company in the U.K. would permit a higher dividend payment. As soon as the opportunity arises it is the Board's hope to increase the dividends to a more appropriate level.

The Future

The Board believes that even under today's economic conditions it is right for the Company to take positive action to promote further growth.

At the time of writing this statement it is clear that with the unanswered questions as to future pay policy, the uncertain level of inflation and the unknown date of the next General Election, any forecast must be in general terms. However, we believe that the Company will continue to achieve considerably better results than industry generally because it has a broad base to its activities, has a strong management team, is strong financially and has areas of its business in which real growth can be expected.

Thorn Electrical Industries is a world wide company with four distinct product groups, television rental and consumer electronics. lighting, domestic appliances and engineering. It uses many distinguished trade marks including Kenwood, Mazda, Bendix, Ferguson, Ultra, Baird, Tricity, Parkinson Cowan, Benham's, Avo, Goodmans, Main, Moffat, Clarkson, DER. The Company operates over 100 factories and employs nearly 83,000 people around the globe, all contributing in the past year to a record turnover in excess of £1 billion.

THORN ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIES LIMITED. THORN HOUSE, UPPER SAINT MARTIN'S LANE, LONDON WC2H 9ED

These extracts are from the Chairman's Statement and the Report and Accounts for the year to 31st March, 1977. Copies are to be posted to all shareholders in early August.

FINANCIAL NEWS AND MARKET REPORTS



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Foreign Exchange The dollar fell widely on foreign exchanges yesterday as the United States Treasury Secretary declared it was not his intention to infervene in support of the currency. Sharp losses were recorded against major continemal currencies, although closing levels were above the worst. German marks soared to 2.2455 against the dollar in the opening minutes, finishing at 2.2480 for a net gain of nearly 1-pfennig. Sterling ended 2 points up at 1.7199 to the dollar. Dealers reported a modest early demand, but the Bank of England was reckomed to have raken some dollars in to steady the rate. The effective exchange rate index fell 0.1 to 60.6. Gold closed in London at 5146.375 an ounce, up \$1.5 on Friday's close.	Underlying factors as there ought, to have been surplus of funds in the but the houses, in fact, for going nor too easy. The Bank of England necessary to give help on stale, purchasing Treasu directly from the houses the discoum houses most fair progress during the rates obstituately held cent-7 per-cent, and even up to 71 per cent up to 71 per cent up to 71 per cent assistance from the authooks were mostly ruled the range of 61-7 per cent Turnover had been lighal. Market men remark there must have been from the settlement of foreign exchange operat Thursday. Money Market



Wall Street



Briefly

Scot & N'castle plans £40m spending

Edinburgh-based Scottish and Newcastle Breweries expects to spend £40m in the current year and not less than this sum in 1978-79. Provided no legislation is introduced which will reduce S & N's profitability, the board believes the group has enough resources to meet these com-mitments and to continue renewal and re-equipment Mr P. E. G. Balfour, the chairman, believes that the market will continue to grow, albeit slowly and that S & N should look for its major growth in the free-trade sector. S & N is mainly in beer wholesaling.

EDINEURGE & GEN INVS Referring to recent 1976 accounts, where the directors stated E & G I was now a close company, it has subsequently been ascertained that it is not a close company, nor was it at December 31.

COLMORE/COWIE Colmore Investment in a letter to shareholders from chairman and managing director, conduces to urge shareholders to reject offer by T. Cowie.

MERCURY SECURITIES

Economic climate continues difficult and outlook, both for United Kingdom and world economies "obscure". Lord Roll, chairman, tells shareholders. Because prospects for current year are exceptionally difficult to assess, profit forecast withheld.

Turnover for period May 1, 1976, to May 6, 1977, £659.92m, compared with £665.54m for period May 3, 1975, to April 30, 1976. Pre-mx profits, £510,000 £813,000). Mr C. J. K. Bisgood, chairman, reports that, in longer-term company must expect costs to continue to rise until Talisman is in operation. This is forecast for early 1979. BISGOOD, BISHOP

HULL CINEMAS

Board of Hull Cinemas has received an approach which may lead to an offer being made. Further announcement will be made

ATTOCK PETROLEUM
Annual meeting has approved disposal of a 51 per cent interest in a fully-owned subsidiary, Attock OH Co., to Finance & Investment International. As known, licing of ordinary shares will be

listing of ordinary shares will be temporarily suspended. BRABY LESLIE
Orders at Uxbridge. Liverpool
and Bristol very satisfactory, chairman reports. Barring unforeseen,
this year should also be satis-

DOLAN PACKAGING

Canadian Overseas Packaging has increased its holding in Dolan from 947,021 shares to 972,021 by the purchase of 25,000 shares at 181p. These purchases increase COPI's stake in Dolan from 10.76 per cent to 11.04 per cent.

ROUTLEDGE & KEGAN Group turnover for year to March 31, £2.7m (£2.5m). Pre-tax profit £311,000 (£242,000). Earnings a share 12.9p (10.3p). Total gross dividend 5.56p (4.99p).

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Aggregate annual profits of 128 public companies in the

textile and clothing sector announced in the first half of

1977 increased from £280m to

The main rise in pre-tax

earnings was in the second quarter when 84 companies

reported profits advancing from £249m to £392m. These included large contributions from

Courtaulds and Coats Patons among manufacturers, and Marks and Spencer among tex-

tile distributors.

Average dividends paid out by the 128 firms rose by 1.2 per

cent—from 10.68 per cent to
11.88 per cent per company,
But the 58 firms reporting
half yearly figures during the
six months stepped up total

profits by just under £1m-from £15.52m to £16.55m. The

average interim dividend was 4.8 per cent against 4.42 per cent paid by the same com-

Worldwide net income of Texaco rose 13 per cent to

Texaco rose 13 per cent to \$480.47m in the first six months of this year, Mr Maurice Granville, chairman and chief executive announced in New York. Earnings a share were up from \$1.57 to \$1.77.

Mr Granville said that earnings outside the United States were better in both the western and eastern hemispheres, reflecting higher prices and an overall increase in sales of 2.3 per cent.

HARRISONS & CROSFIELD Group ahead of same time last year, which showed record profits.

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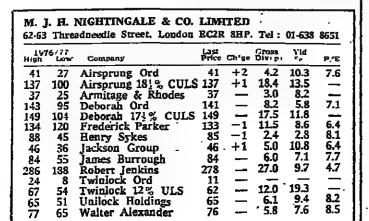
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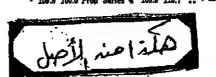
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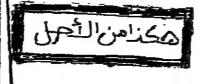




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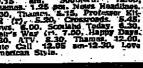
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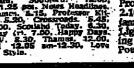
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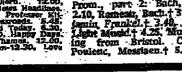
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Thomas's Hospital, to Joanna
(nee Page's and Mervin—a
daughter, Louise.

SMITH.—On July 23, at Dutwich
Hospital, to Allson (nee Rice)
and Bryan—a son.

HOMSON-MOORE.—On July 21st.

1977, at the Westminstor, London, to Jane, the Gora's and
Collim—a daughter (Alexandra).

WATT.—On July 22nd, at Queen
Marys, Hospital. Enchampton, to
Patricia ince Thompson; and
James—a son (Robert John
Allen).

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WHITE On 19th July at Westhill Hospital, Durturd, to Rod and James — a daughter (Claire YATES — On 10th July 1977, at Pontifract General Infirmaty to Margaret mee Close; and landa a daughter (Elisabeth Ellen).

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DAY: LEGGE.—On July 25, at Dodford, John Grace, son of Air and Mrs K. F. G. Day of Waisall. to Jane, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Legge of Dodford, Northamp-ton.

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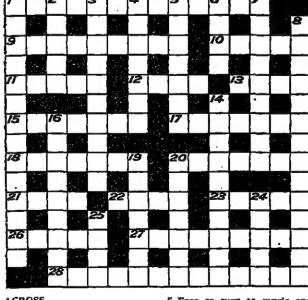
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Support say a national poet in some degree (13).

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26 Fellow countryman? (5).
27 Cat's trial arrangement inspired his fugue? (9).
28 Capital outlay? (7, 6).

this does so with opera-glasses (10).

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5 Free to turn to music and dancing (7). 6 Chemical—one that reeks in

9 Record about The Unknown prepared for issue and rushed out (9).
10 Topping estuary fish (5).
11 Ruth's out of the wood (5).
12 Old Roman street of conspirators (4).
13 Record about The Unknown Editoburgh (4).
14 Mixed me up with little brother I brought along (9).
15 Repack parts on to train for removal (14).
16 There's little wrong in this (10).

12 Old Roman street of conspirators (4).

13 Can such choice of direction be tolerated? (4).

15 How to make a duck? (7).

17 Coincide in part concerning luxury seating (7).

18 "What mad ——? What struggle to escape?" (Keats) (7).

20 Gambled again, coming back with the victory goal (7).

21 Speak very highly of High-Churchman William (4).

22 Toothy Sayings (4):

16 Carrying out many a gun raid perhaps (9).

19 Coming or going? Both. in this (7).

20 His home a dubious castle (7).

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25 What ex-army types do, no longer carrying the colours? (4).

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1 The House of Orange, Woodstock? (8, 6).

2 One who contends with a floating grog-shop (5).

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